

A BIG ICE GORGE THREATENS A TOWN

THE BLACK RIVER IS RISING RAPIDLY.

Large Bridge at Neillsville Likely to Be Carried Out, As the Flood Sweeps All Before It—Damage Done at La Crosse—State Specials.

Neillsville, Wis., March 31.—[Special]—The Black river is rising rapidly and it is feared that the large bridge at this point will be carried away. An immense ice gorge has formed and extends two miles above the bridge. It is breaking and the ice is coming down carrying everything in its path. La Crosse, Wis., March 31.—Reports from the river are that a good part of the west channel pile bridge is gone and the middle channel bridge is sure to be down. Ice and logs are crowding in and the piles snap like pipe stems.

THE DEFENDANTS ALL GO FREE

The Jury's Verdict in the Bannister-Butler Murder Case.

Shell Lake, Wis., March 31.—The jury in the Bannister-Butler murder trial returned a verdict of not guilty for all defendants last night. The jury were out one hour. Walter Bannister and Elizabeth Butler, Violet Beers and Eunice Butler were charged with the murder of an infant child of Eunice Butler at Spooner, Wis., December 26, 1896. On Christmas day a child was born to Eunice Butler, of which young Bannister, who is only twenty years old, was impudently to be the father. Dr. Averill, the attending physician, suspected something wrong when he discovered the child was missing, and the house was searched. The body was found hidden in the woodshed.

Brewery Barn Burned.

Green Bay, Wis., March 31.—An incendiary fire burned the contents of a barn belonging to the O. Van Dyke Brewing company. The loss is \$500, covered by insurance.

Baraboo, Wis., March 31.—The residence owned by Henry Alexander and occupied by Fred Haysook burned from a defective flue.

La Crosse, Wis., March 31.—Last night fire started in the C. & J. Michel Brewery and gave the firemen three hours of hard work among burning hops and malt.

Weddings in the State.

Beloit, Wis., March 31.—The Rev. Jacob W. Hadden of Staben, Wis., college class of '70, was married yesterday to Miss Persis Mears, daughter of the late Henry Mears, one of the founders of Beloit.

Lake Geneva, Wis., March 31.—R. M. Bates of Chicago and Miss Helen Sherwood of this place were married yesterday by the Rev. J. N. Marks. The wedding was at the house and witnessed by intimate friends.

Lake Geneva Republicans.

Lake Geneva, Wis., March 31.—The republicans renominated Alex. T. Seymour for mayor; Charles H. Gardner for clerk; E. A. Buell for treasurer and nominated Charles S. French for assessor; and the temperance people placed in nomination Thomas Vipham for mayor; Charles H. Gardner for clerk; James Johnson for treasurer, and Levi Underwood for assessor. Both tickets are composed of good men. The question of license or no license will be voted upon.

Shullsburg Goes Democratic.

Shullsburg, Wis., March 31.—At the city election here yesterday the following officers were elected: For Mayor, Peter Baker, democrat; treasurer, Mahoney, democrat. For supervisors, Hebenstreit, democrat, Second ward; Thompson, republican, First ward. Aldermen, Bergener, democrat, and Hayden, democrat, Second ward. McGrath, democrat and Copeland, republican, First ward.

Burglary at Brooklyn.

Madison, March 31.—The general store of P. A. Haynes, at Brooklyn, on the southern line of Dane county, was burglarized last night and three watch chains and other jewelry, also some other articles, taken. An unsuccessful attempt was made to open the door of the safe of the post office which is in the store. Two suspects are under arrest.

Deaths in the State.

Monroe, Wis., March 31.—Andrew Schneider died suddenly yesterday. He was 76 years of age. A wife and seven children survive him.

Elkhorn, Wis., March 31.—Loren Latham, one of the pioneers of Walworth county, died at his home in this village. He had been a resident of the county for more than fifty years.

C. K. G. Billings' Lake Geneva House.

Lake Geneva, Wis., March 31.—C. K. G. Billings, the Chicago gas man, has 120 men engaged making extensive

alteration and improvements in his lake shore home. The amount expended will be over \$20,000.

Monroe Business Block Transfer.

Monroe, Wis., March 31.—The Choweth block, northwest corner of the square, and one of the best business blocks in this city, was purchased by J. D. Schindler. The price paid was \$15,000.

Fort Atkinson Democrats.

Fort Atkinson, March 31.—The democrats made the following nominations: For mayor, N. D. M. Brandt; for treasurer, M. S. Parker; for assessor, George P. Klein; for comptroller, Asa Foote.

Sentenced For Abandonment.

Oshkosh, Wis., March 31.—In the municipal court Bert Cross was convicted of abandoning his wife last December and sentenced to one year in state prison.

Angus Cameron Is Dead.

Milwaukee, March 31.—Ex-Senator Angus Cameron of La Crosse died Tuesday evening at the Wauwatosa sanitarium, where he was brought for treatment last Wednesday. He will be best remembered as the man who beat Mart H. Carpenter for the United States senatorship in 1875 after a struggle which at the time threatened to disrupt the republican party in the state.

WATER HIGHEST EVER KNOWN

The Floods Break All Records in the South.

Greenville, Miss., March 31.—The flood situation culminated Tuesday in untold disaster to the great Yazoo delta region. By 9 o'clock in the morning three additional breaks were reported. One at Steads landing, Bolivar County, near Australia, and thirty miles north of Rosedale, occurred at 4 o'clock Monday. At 3 o'clock Tuesday morning the levee at Mound landing, just fifteen miles above this city, gave way, and at 9 o'clock news was received of a third break at Stopps landing, seven miles north of the Mound break.

The break at Steads landing is now 2,000 feet wide, and the last break at Mound and Stopps landings are now over twenty yards wide, while the break below here on Lake Lee is about 600 yards wide. These four crevasses are hourly pouring their torrents into the bottom lands formed by the Yazoo River hills on the east and the Mississippi River bank on the west.

Thousands of flood-bound people are caught and penned in between the three Bolivar County breaks, and no communication can be had with them. Refugees coming into the city from the country this side of the Mound break report many families in peril of their lives on the other side of the crevasse, as there is only seven miles of country between them and Steads, and it is next to impossible for all to escape.

Two hundred and fifty towns and villages will be under water in three days, and thousands of families will be homeless. No losses of human life are yet reported, but hairbreadth escapes from destruction are numerous, and the suffering of the afflicted people is great.

Every lake and stream is out of its banks and literally filled with bodies of drowned animals. Many thousands of horses, mules and cattle are being swept away. Homes and property are gladly abandoned in the mad rush to preserve life. It is impossible to estimate the amount of destruction in dollars and cents.

Every town and village along the Yazoo & Mississippi Valley railroad is full of homeless refugees, and destitute men, women and children are grouped in squads along the levees in the vicinity of the breaks.

In the next two days two-thirds of this entire valley will be one waste of water from the bank of the Mississippi eastward to the Yazoo River. It is a thickly populated region, and has fully 100,000 inhabitants.

HIGHEST EVER KNOWN.

From Memphis to Arkansas City the Water Has Broken Records.

Washington, March 31.—The weather bureau Tuesday issued the following special river bulletin:

"The Mississippi has fallen slightly from Keokuk to Cairo and risen from Helena to New Orleans, except a slight fall at Arkansas City, due to a crevasse near that place. It is above the danger line from Cairo to New Orleans, and from Memphis to Arkansas City is above the extreme high water of any previous year.

"Serious breaks in the levees have occurred within the last forty-eight hours at Australia, Stopps Landing and Wayside, Miss. The water from these crevasses will flow into the Yazoo basin, and it is probable that the counties of Bolivar, Washington, Issaquena and Starkey, Mississippi, will be flooded. The situation at Greenville, Miss., is considered extremely critical."

Smallpox Playing Havoc.

Havana, March 31.—Great misery is being experienced at San Cristobal and elsewhere in the province of Pinar del Rio, owing to the prevalence of smallpox. The mortality is great. The municipal authorities are distributing relief when they are able to do so; that is to say, when the troops succeed in driving in the cattle from the surrounding country.

TORNADO AND FIRE WIPES A TOWN OUT

OKLAHOMA VILLAGE IS LITERALLY DESTROYED.

Fully Two Hundred Residents of Chandler Are Supposed to Be Injured Or Burned—Blaze Follows Winds' Wild Sweep—The List of the Victims.

Guthrie, O. T., March 31.—A tornado at Chandler, forty miles east of here, at dusk Tuesday night, destroyed three-fourths of the town of 1,500 people, and the latest news is that 200 are badly hurt and forty-five persons killed. The ruins took fire and many were burned to death.

It is reported that only two buildings were left standing—the Mitchell hotel and the Grand Island grocery store. The known dead are:

JOHN WOODMAN.
MRS. JOHN WOODMAN.
MRS. MITCHELL.
MRS. THOMAS SMITH.
JOHN DAWSON, attorney.
TWO UNIDENTIFIED.

The injured:

John McCartner, brother-in-law of United States Marshal Nagle.
F. N. Niblack.
John Niblack.
John Foster.

Mrs. Emma Foster.
Two daughters of County Treasurer Uiam.
Samuel Winthrop.
George McHenry.

The cyclone struck at 6 o'clock. The court house, in which Chief Justice Dale was holding court, was taken off its foundation and shattered. Many of the court attendants were killed or wounded.

All communication with Chandler is now cut off. The telephone office was destroyed, and the only information received here was from a telephone connection made a mile and a half out of Chandler. That has since been lost.

Kansas City, Mo., March 31.—A special to the Journal from Guthrie, O. T., says that at 6 o'clock Tuesday evening a terrific tornado, followed by hail and flood, swept through the town of Chandler, forty miles east of here, completely devastating the town. Three-fourths of the residences and business houses of the town were totally wrecked or badly damaged; scores of people were injured and many were killed. Darkness at once came on and the work of rescue was carried on under great difficulties.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodman, Mrs. Henry Mitchell, Mrs. Thomas Smith, Attorney John Dawson and two unknown persons have been found dead, and fully 150 people were known to be badly injured. Mrs. Emma Foster and baby are thought to be fatally hurt.

Chandler is built on a hill in thick timber and the mass of torn trees and wrecked houses made it impossible to reach the injured in the dark. On every side could be heard groans and cries for help and the scene is indescribable.

A later message states that a large number of people known to have been in business buildings are missing, and it is feared they are dead under the ruins.

Reports received here indicate that the cyclone which destroyed the town of Chandler also passed across the state of Kansas, though in less destructive force.

Florence, Kas., reports a severe wind-storm between 5 and 6 o'clock that unroofed a portion of the Santa Fe round house, blew down several wooden buildings and blew box cars from the tracks.

Great Bend reports a very heavy wind, accompanied by hail and rain. Wichita reports the heaviest rain ever experienced there, accompanied by wind and hail. At Haven box cars were blown from the railroad tracks. Barton reports a very heavy wind, which wrecked several small buildings and blew box cars from the tracks.

Telegraph service throughout the state is badly crippled.

Tornado at Fort Worth.

Fort Worth, Tex., March 31.—Another cyclone passed over this city Tuesday night, this time striking the south side. The chimney of the Mulkey Memorial church was blown down, and falling on the parsonage, crushed in the roof. Several houses were unroofed, and the houses of ex-County Treasurer Thomas Bratton and Mrs. Cline were blown from their supports. Mrs. Cline is reported injured.

Railroad Is Ordered Stopped.

Springfield, Ill., March 31.—Judge Allen in the federal court Tuesday made the decree for the sale of the Peoria, Decatur and Evansville railroad. Unless the amount due on the \$1,700,000 second mortgage bonds and interest is paid by May 3 the road will be sold at Lincoln by Special Master in Chancery C. C. Brown, of this city, about the middle of June.

Merritt to Be Transferred.

Washington, March 31.—In anticipation of the retirement of Major General Thomas H. Ruger, commanding the department of the east at New York, Friday next, Major General Wesley Merritt, commanding the department of the Missouri at Chicago, has been notified by the secretary of war to make arrangements for his early transfer to that command.

LAST DAY'S DEBATE ON TARIFF BILL

FATE OF THE MEASURE NOW IN THE BALANCE.

The Western Republicans Argue For a Duty On Hides—The Rate On Lumber Is Denounced—Restoration of The Duty On Coal—No Waste of Time.

Washington, March 31.—The ways and means committee held the floor with their amendments to the tariff bill from 10 Tuesday morning to 4 o'clock in the afternoon. About thirty-five were offered and adopted. Among them was one admitting free of duty "books, scientific apparatus, charts, maps, etc." for scientific and educational purposes. After that five more pages of the bill were read, making twenty pages in all of the 162 pages of the bill.

To-day the bill is open for amendment until 1 o'clock, an attempt to extend the debate having failed, after which an hour on a side will be allowed to close. The voting will begin at 3 o'clock. Democrats displayed a good deal of anxiety to get in an amendment to strike out the differential on sugar, but they probably will be frustrated in this. The only motion they may be able to secure a vote on is one to recommit with instructions.

Mr. Cannon (rep., Ill.) prefaced his remarks with the declaration that he was for the pending bill. He thought there could well be a duty on hides, as the impression was deeply grounded in the west that a duty on hides would raise the price of cattle \$1 a head.

Mr. Slayden (dem., Tex.) proceeded to argue that a duty on hides would be of practical benefit to the cattle raisers of the plains of Texas, Kansas and the Dakotas.

Mr. Bell (pop., Col.) warned the republicans that if they passed the bill, containing high duties, without imposing at least a revenue duty on hides, distinctly a product of the farm, they would regret it.

Mr. Dingley defended the action of the committee. Weighing the balance of advantages, he said, the committee decided against a duty on hides. Our tanning industry was adjusted to free hides, and it was decided that a duty on hides would not be of advantage to the farmer, and would be a distinct disadvantage to our export trade.

Mr. Hepburn (rep., Iowa) then came forward with a vehement speech in favor of a duty on hides. Mr. Hepburn declared that the wool interests dwarfed in contrast with the vast cattle interests of the country. He demanded that the ways and means committee allow the sense of the house to be taken on this question, and affirmed with great positiveness that every Republican from the west favored a duty on hides.

Mr. Brucker (dem., Mich.) denounced the duty of \$2 on lumber as robbery. It was free trade in labor and protection for the manufacturer.

Mr. Dingley, in reply to a question, said that nine-tenths of the amendments offered by the committee had been suggested by members and offered after investigation.

The clerk then resumed the reading of the bill where he stopped on Saturday.

Mr. Lentz (dem., O.) was the first to interrupt the reading of the bill. He presented a number of protests from bituminous coal miners against the restoration of 75 cents a ton on coal. He declared that the restoration was in the interest of the anthracite coal pool of the east.

Mr. Grosvenor (rep., O.) in reply said that no suggestion against the restoration of the duty on coal had come until after the bill had been reported to the house. The east was in favor of a lower duty on coal.

A committee from the Cigarmakers' International Union is in Washington. The union enrolls about 150,000, and has made a formal protest against the change in duties on tobacco as made in the Dingley bill, claiming that they will deprive many workers of employment by causing a larger proportion of the cigars consumed in the United States to be made abroad.

ATTACKS TARIFF BILL.

Strong Speech Made in the Senate by the Nebraska Populist.

Washington, March 31.—Senator Allen (pop., Neb.) made a long speech in the senate Tuesday on the unconstitutionality of tariff taxes beyond those requisite for revenue. He severely criticised the trusts and combinations, which, he declared, reaped the main advantage of tariff taxes. The senator's remarks were in the nature of a legal argument showing the constitutional limitations on the taxing power of congress. In conclusion, the senator said:

"I place myself on the solid and impregnable ground that under our constitution congress does not possess power to tax the people to enhance the private fortunes of the few, and that the full measure of the taxing power is reached when a tariff for revenue, with incidental protection, is imposed. Any other construction would lead to confiscation and incidentally to enforced repudiation, the two worst conceivable forms of anarchy and disorder in a civilized state; and such a deduction would be a blot on its ledger."

itimate length, would lead to the subversion of all order and the rights of persons and property."

The house amendments to the senate joint resolution appropriating \$250,000 for the saving of life and property along the Mississippi river were agreed to, and the resolution now goes to the president.

The Cuban question was brought forward again by Mr. Morgan (Ala.), who presented a resolution requesting the president to inform the senate whether letters had been received by the present and former chief executive from Gen. Maximo Gomez, commander of the revolutionary forces in Cuba.

WASTE NO TIME.

Effort to Put the Dingley Bill Into Effect Without Delay.

Washington, March 31.—Chairman Dingley and his colleagues of the ways and means committee will attempt to have the duties imposed by the new tariff bill go into effect before the bill becomes a law. This policy was definitely resolved upon at a meeting of the republican members of the committee held Tuesday night. The subcommittee, consisting of Representatives Grosvenor of Ohio, Tawney of Minnesota, and Dalzell of Pennsylvania, which was authorized to report upon the proposition, presented such an amendment which they had written and their colleagues instructed Mr. Grosvenor to offer the amendment to-day in the house. There is no doubt that it will be adopted by a party vote.

The members of the sub-committee investigated the question of the constitutionality and validity of the proposition personally, and secured opinions of able lawyers, among them the attorney-general of Ohio.

The chief precedent on which the committee relies to sustain its action is a decision of the Supreme court growing out of the Wilson act. This act did not become a law until August 23, 1894, although the bill stated that the duties therein imposed should be levied on and after August 1.

THE BLOCKADE IS USELESS

Powers to Try Persuasive Measures in Crete.

Constantinople, March 31.—It is understood that the admirals in command of the foreign fleets in the Cretan waters are of the opinion that now that Greece has virtually completed her war preparations on the frontier of Thessaly a blockade of the principal Greek ports would be useless, thus bearing out the forecasts that the refusal of Great Britain to take active part in the blockade of Greece might lead to the collapse of that scheme to prevent an outbreak of hostilities. Under these circumstances all the efforts of the ambassadors of the powers here are now being directed toward prevailing upon the Turkish government to advise the sultan to withdraw the Turkish troops from Crete, another sop to Greece and as another attempt to prevent war, and, in addition, the ambassadors are endeavoring to prevail upon Greece and Turkey to agree to the establishment of a neutral zone between the opposing Turks and Greeks on the two frontiers.

FOUR ARE KILLED BY SMOKE

Three Women and a Child Perish at New York.

New York, March 31.—Four persons, three women and a baby, were smothered to death by smoke Tuesday in the double brown-stone five-story dwelling house, 61 West 105th street, which was partially destroyed by fire that originated in a dumb waiter in the basement of the building, spread to an air-shaft, and from there up through the house. The dead are:

MRS. ELIZABETH FRENCH, 28 years old.

HER 6-MONTHS-OLD CHILD.

MISS ELLEN MORRISSEY of Albany.

MRS. THOMAS DARLINGTON.

It is believed that Mrs. Darlington's 5-year-old son Thomas has also been burned to death.

TWO MEN KILLED IN TUNNEL

Mysterious Explosion in a Tunnel at Chicago.

Chicago, March 31.—Two men were killed and three badly injured by an explosion in the northwest land tunnel at 8 o'clock Tuesday morning. The dead:

OWEN O'MALLEY.

PETER GALLAGHER.

The injured:

Dennis Hayes, miner, severely injured about the head and shoulders.

Thomas Gallagher, miner, slight injuries.

Edward Farrell, miner, right leg burned.

The cause of the explosion has not been determined.

Consternation at St. Paul.

St. Paul, Minn., March 31.—The Mississippi river is thirteen feet one inch above low-water mark, a rise of over two feet in the last twenty-four hours. The sudden rise has carried consternation to the dwellers on the lower flats on the west side. Already the water has backed up around the lower parts of the flats until it has almost reached the intersection of Fenton and Tennessee streets. Several hundred residents of the Bohemian flats took to the hills Tuesday afternoon. The west side, from State street to South park, a distance of five miles, are one great lake.

POOL SELLING BILL TO PASS TOMORROW

SENATE ORDERS IT TO A THIRD READING.

Refused to Accept the Report On the Risum Theatre Hat Bill—To Raise Money For Historical Society's Building—Debate On the Bill to Tax Express Companies.

Madison, March 31.—[Special]—Unexpected things happened in both houses of the legislature today. Contrary to all expectation the Senate put new life into the Risum theatre hat bill by refusing to adopt the report of the committee on state affairs for its indefinite postponement and ordering the bill advanced to the third reading.

The Wylie bill to prohibit pool selling at race tracks was ordered read a third time by a unanimous vote. The lobby has been working all night but failed. It will probably pass tomorrow.

The senate also passed the bill providing a special tax for the completion of the state historical building. The entire amount to be raised is over four hundred thousand dollars.

In the assembly a short but sharp struggle took place over the bill imposing a tax on express companies. Mr. Latta of Langdale, assisted by Mr. Wheeler of Rock, tried to get the bill referred back to the committee on taxation, but failed. Friok of Milwaukee, opposed the motion as did also Mr. Hall of Dunn. Mr. Wheeler of Rock, urged that the bill be referred in order to give the Express companies a chance to be heard. The bill was finally ordered to a third reading.

Ask for More Troops.

London, March 31.—The following semi-official announcement is made: "In consequence of the request of the admirals it has been decided that a further battalion of 600 men be forthwith sent to Crete by each power. Otherwise the situation as regards the action of the powers is unchanged. It has not yet been decided to demand the withdrawal of the Greek and Turkish forces from the frontier, such a course appearing impracticable at the present moment."

May Now Elect Breckinridge.

Frankfort, Ky., March 31.—The latest scheme is a fusion on W. C. P. Breckinridge by the republicans and gold democrats, and there are dozens of men here who really believe that Breckinridge may be elected senator. Dr. Hunter made a desperate effort Tuesday to win the race, and although the bolters now number seven instead of six, he only lacks three votes. Rumors of bribery and corruption are flying thick and fast.

Bank Conspirator Is Pardoned.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 31.—Thompson Arnold, the son-in-law of Judge Frazier of the circuit court at Warsaw, who was sentenced to the penitentiary one year ago for conspiracy to wreck the bank at South Whitley, Whitley county, was pardoned by the governor Tuesday. Gov. Matthews' sympathy was aroused in the case, and the only recommendation to the new governor was that Arnold be released before his term expired.

Two British Ships Missing.

San Francisco, Cal., March 31.—Lloyd's agents have received word that the four-mastered British ship Lord Dufferin and British bark Bankholme, are missing. All hope for the Lord Dufferin is abandoned. There is still some hope for the Bankholme. The combined crews of the ships numbered sixty-seven men, all of whom are supposed to have perished.

Think Schooner Has Foundered.

New York, March 31.—The schooner Charley Hastings is believed to have foundered in Long Island sound and her crew, consisting of six men, is thought to have been drowned. She left Newton Creek last Wednesday with a cargo of phosphate, and should have arrived at Orient on Friday, but thus far nothing has been heard from her.

For Fitzsimmons and Mitchell.

London, March 31.—The Sun says it is authorized to state that the Olympic club has offered a purse of \$15,000 for a fight between Charley Mitchell and Bob Fitzsimmons, the meeting to take place within three months. Mitchell agrees to fight for a \$10,000 side bet, besides the purse, the winner to take all.

St. Paul Cashier Indicted.

St. Paul, Minn., March 31.—William Dawson, jr., cashier of the Bank of Minnesota, which closed its doors Dec. 22 last, was indicted by the grand jury on the charge of falsifying the last statement of the bank to the state examiner. Bail in the sum of \$3,500 was secured and Mr. Dawson released.

Refuse to Obey Pingree.

Lansing, Mich., March 31.—In a special message Gov. Pingree endeavored to induce the house to reconsider the vote by which it defeated the appropriation for a state exhibit at the Nashville exposition. The effort was futile.

MANY BUY BUGGIES RUN BY A CURRENT

HORSELESS CARRIAGES ARE
MUCH IN FAVOR.

American Electric Vehicle Company
Receive Many Orders At Chicago—
Janesville May Be Sorry, Some
Time, That the Firm Didn't Come
Here to Locate.

If the story printed in the Chicago Tribune on Sunday is true, the citizens of Janesville may yet regret the fact that the American Electric Vehicle Company located in Chicago. The Tribune says: "Horseless vehicles, propelled by electricity, will be seen in considerable numbers on the boulevards and park drives in Chicago this summer. Several citizens widely known in social and business circles have already placed orders for elaborate pleasure rigs, mercantile firms are contracting for delivery wagons, and two companies are being organized for the purpose of conducting establishments at which electric motor hansom, broughams and brakes may be engaged by the hour or day, just as ordinary vehicles are now hired from the horse livery."

Some of the Orders.

"Thomas B. Bryan, one of the leading promoters of the world's fair, intends to travel about the city in a fire looking survey that will seat six people."

"Whiting G. Press, the board of trade operator, has placed an order for a handsome mail phaeton."

"Col. Frank Sellers, manager of the Title Guarantee and Trust company will use a victoria of novel and pleasing design."

"Robert L. McElroy, the real estate man, is having a stanhope constructed from especially prepared plans."

"Montgomery Ward & Co. are already using a horseless vehicle for the transportation of some of their representatives in the West. Kelley, Maus & Co., the iron house, are interested in a similar equipage, and at least one of the big retail dry goods establishments in Chicago has ordered for local use electrically propelled delivery wagons."

Electric Vehicles For Livery.

"Besides these a company is preparing to run a line of brakes for pleasure riding through the boulevards and parks. It is proposed to make regular trips to Lincoln, Garfield and Jackson parks, picking up passengers en route and charging a set fare for each. Some of the brakes will be rented to parties for outing trips in lieu of the now popular four-in-han coaches. A second company will operate a big livery stable, at which all kinds of electric-motor carriages, but principally hansom and broughams, may be hired at the regular cab rates. This program would appear chimerical were it not for the fact that exactly the same thing, according to the Scientific American, is now being done in New York and Chicago, so the experts say, offers a much more inviting field by reason of its level topography and long stretches of asphalt paved boulevards."

Corroborated by President Innuell.

"The electric motor vehicle is destined to become popular in Chicago," says Samuel Innuell, President of the Chicago Edison company. "The start will be modest of course. There has to be a beginning to everything. This summer will doubtless see some of them in use, and next year will bring more. This city is admirably fitted for vehicles of this kind, owing to the numerous level boulevards and good park drives."

"Charles E. Corrigan, manager of American Electric Vehicle company, confirms the report of orders being placed for private equipages and the organization of livery companies. He says:

"It is true that all the men named by The Sunday Tribune have ordered electric vehicles and a number of others have also done so, but as you have not secured their names it would be a breach of confidence for me to make them public. I know the men who are interested in the livery concerns, but for business reasons which should be plain to everyone, must decline to make them known until the details of organization are completed. I will say however they are all men of wealth and business importance."

SOME NOTES FROM FOOTVILLE.

The Roads are Bad But Are Getting Better.

Footville, March 30—The roads are still bad, but are improving. Mrs. Mary Snyder and lady friends of Janesville are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Snyder of this place. Mrs. E. Townsend and Miss E. Ogden left for Milwaukee Monday morning to stock up for millinery trade. Ira Fisher shipped a car of fine seed oats into town from the northern part of the state. Mrs. C. B. Vesper left Saturday for a visit with friends at Harvard and Chicago. Rev. J. J. Lugg is slightly under the weather, but was able to deliver two good discourses on Sunday. Mrs. W. J. Owen who has been very low for the past week, is again on the mend. Fred Schroeder is also better and prospects are he will soon be on the road to recovery. C. W. Jenkins had moved into Mr. J. Dabson's house. Mr. and Mrs. Dabson and son left for the west Monday. Mrs. M. Parmley and daughter, Lula left for Pasadena, Cal., Friday afternoon. Several of Footville people visited Janesville last week to purchase spring outfits in clothing. Miss Edith Buck who has been spending the last six months at Berlin, Wis., arrived home last week. We

STREET CAR LINES MAY BE EXTENDED

SPECULATION AS TO FUTURE
PLANS.

Mr. Blabon Talked of Laying More
Track, and Hinted At a Line to the
State School—Says the Road Should
Cover More Territory In Order to
Be Profitable.

Now that it is known that the street cars are to start up again there is much speculation as to the extensions that are being talked of. There is much speculation as to the direction they will take and local holders of outlying property are in hopes that proposed new lines will be such as to benefit them and their property. It is doubtful if the lines will be extended from their present terminals, but the building of several new spurs is being seriously considered.

When Geo. W. Blabon was in the city he said on several occasions that the road, to pay, should cover a much larger field. It should not only reach and accommodate a larger number of people, but should give patrons a longer ride for their money when they were on pleasure bent. Mr. Blabon would not say that he favored any particular route, but he did say on several occasions that he thought that some day a line to the state school for the blind might be made a paying investment. Large numbers of people come to this city from out of town, either on business or to inspect this institution, aside from the pupils and those employed at the school, who are passing back and forth daily.

The prospects for a brisk trade in outlying property has never been better than it is now.

ANTI-HORSE THIEF SOCIETY.

Annual Election of Harmony Anti-Horse Thief Association—Financial Condition.

The Harmony Anti-Horse Thief Society held its annual meeting March 13, 1897 and the officers were as follows:

President—Walter C. Wilbur.
Vice President—Herman A. Betts.
Secretary—Wilson Martin.
Treasurer—Augustus E. Wilcox.
Riders—J. L. Bear, E. G. Hopple, Wm. Crandall, J. E. Gleason and Burt Gage.

The treasurer reported \$285.78 in the treasury.

The following named persons are members of the society:

Atwood, C.	Allen, Abial
Adams, Leroy	Betts, H. A.
Barker, J. H.	Behnke, Henry
Clark, M. B.	Cutts, R. I.
Cross, David	Cannon, C. W.
Dillenbeck, Ezra	Denning, Wm. L.
Evens, E. E.	Gleason, J. E.
Gage, Bert	Gould, S. W.
Hadden, Wm.	Hopple, E. G.
Holloway, L. F.	Hoskins, T. A.
Holtz, H. G.	Irish, E. E.
Jamison, Thomas M.	Jackman, J. S.
Lowery, John	Day, J. W.
Edgington, Ed. E.	Edden, T. H.
Flint, W. C.	Gage, James P.
Grundy, George	Gibson, William
Homes, E. A.	Howard, W. H.
Hanlon, James	Jamison, Thomas
Jackman, N. N.	Joiner, J. J.
Kneucane, Peter	Kemmerer, Charles
Lloyd, Henry	Mansur, J. M.
Masur, W. E.	Martin, Wilson
McLellan, Alex.	Noyes, W. H.
Paul, Homer	Parker, J. H.
Proctor, Joel	Pratt, Thomas
Akin, M. J.	Reid, Josias
Barker, George R.	Bear, J. L.
Brace, O. D.	Banfield, James
Clark, A. B.	Crandall, William
Cunningham, J. H.	Dickinson, E. J.
Davis, James	Davis, Ed.
Proctor, Adin	Read, John
Read, W. A.	Roach, John M.
Sherman, M. P.	Sherman, M. P.
Skinner, George	Thomas, J. P.
Simpson, James	Vankirk, W. T.
Turk, George	Wilbur, W. C.
Wilcox, A. E.	Wenslaw, Gustaf

Loomis, H.	Wenslaw, Gustaf
Mooney, Cornelius	Mitchell, Eugene
Osgood, G. H.	Mosher, George M.
Tarrant, Henry	Story, Frank H.
Gray, W. H.	Van Allen, Matthew
Rice, C. R.	Parker, Norman
Rice, A. P.	Rooney, Thomas
Scott, James	Shields, J. P.
Scott, Frank	Scott, Adam
Wheeler, Guy	Waule, I. N.
Wilcox, R. E.	Walrath, Sylvester
Wolfgram, Louis	Wilcox, Frank B.
	Wilcox, Alfred

Members are requested to keep this list for reference.

WILSON MARTIN,
Secretary.

GENERAL DOE'S VACANT CHAIR

No Application for the Place of Assistant Secretary of War.

There seems to be some difficulty about getting an assistant secretary of war to take the place made vacant by the resignation of Joseph B. Doe, and the applicants are not tumbling over each other in their eagerness to get at this choice plum. Two Nebraska men, J. L. Webster and J. C. Owen, have already been tendered the assistant secretaryship, which was politely declined with thanks.

There is little to be done by the incumbent of this office beyond relieving the secretary of war of the consideration of minor matters of army detail and war department routine. This impression seems to have got abroad, anyhow, and there is no eagerness manifested to hold down this vacant chair by any of the patriots who have called at the White House since March 4 of this year.

Gen. Henderson of Illinois, who has been mentioned in connection with this place, said this afternoon that he was not an applicant for the position, and would not take it if it was tendered him.

Very Low, Rate Excursions to the West and South.

On March 16, April 6 and 20, the Northwestern line will sell Home Seeker's excursion tickets, with favorable time limits to numerous points in the West and South at exceptionally low rates. For tickets and full information apply to Agents Chicago & Northwestern Railway.

ODD FELLOWS TO CELEBRATE

The Seventy-Eighth Anniversary Will Be
Marked by a Program.

The seventy-eighth anniversary of Odd Fellowship will be celebrated in this city on the evening of April 28. At a meeting held last evening local lodge No. 90 appointed a committee who will confer with the other local branches of the order in perfecting final arrangements. The members are J. W. Clark, James Fathers, Walter Rice, B. F. Blanchard and John Joerg.

It has been decided that the event this year will surpass any former celebration. A musical and literary program will be presented. In all probability the celebration will be held at the armory, and a ball will follow the program, but no banquet will be served. The Odd Fellows is considered one of the city's strongest secret orders and about 400 members are upon its lists. The branches of Odd Fellowship which will assist in making the coming event a most notable one are Janesville City Lodge No. 90, Wisconsin Lodge No. 14, Rock River Encampment No. 3, and American Lodge No. 26, Daughters of Rebekah.

CITY NEWS IN A PARAGRAPH

J. P. HEFFERNAN is quite ill.

WILLIAM B. KNIGHT is in Chicago.

BILLY LINK's engagement closes tonight.

Mrs. CURTIS, of the state school, is home from Rockford.

THE Y. M. C. A. band will meet for rehearsal this evening.

WISCONSIN Lodge, No. 14, I. O. O. F. will meet this evening.

THE Clio club will meet with Miss Edna Spoon tonight.

MR. and Mrs. C. A. Thompson entertained a few friends last evening.

ALEX. BUCHANAN has been shooting ducks at Lake Koshkonong this week.

THE Mississippi Golf club will meet at Smith & Pierce's office this evening.

TURNKEY Samuel Brown has been spending the week at Lake Koshkonong.

BILLY LINK's Vaudeville company will be seen again at the Myers Grand tonight.

MISS ROSE B. HATHORN entertained the Congregational Twenty club yesterday afternoon.

THE republican ticket commands the respect of all. No excuses have to be made for it.

WILLIAM HADDEN and A. F. Phillips were in Chicago yesterday attending the horse sale.

YES, the democratic ticket will sweep up everything before it—but into the republican ranks.

THE Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist church met at the church parlors at 1:30 this afternoon.

INVITATIONS are out for a party to be given by Bunk Lyceum on April 19. Smith's orchestra will play.

AN autograph social was given at the Court Street M. E. church last evening, and was a very pleasant affair.

RUSK Lyceum held a debate last night, and decided that the public schools should not be under control of the government.

AN error in the type in last evening's paper quoted Sanborn's as selling Pillsbury's flour at \$1 a sack. It should have been \$1.10.

BILLY LINK's Vaudevilles pleased another large audience at the Myers Grand last evening. The engagement will close tonight.

THE Modern Woodmen and Royal Neighbors surprised Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Brown last evening, and the occasion was an exceedingly pleasant one.

MISS ELLA and Master Hamilton Lane returned to Evanston yesterday, after a visit with their grand parents, Colonel and Mrs. W. B. Britton, 129 Washington street.

JOHN CLARK, formerly road master of the Southern division of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road, purchased of A. B. Carpenter the Grand Hotel property at Beloit. The hotel has been closed for several months.

A BUSINESS men's banquet for the benefit of the Line City Rifles, Capt. T. J. Roger's commanding, was held at Beloit last night. Among those present were Adj. Gen. C. R. Boardman, Col. Ginty, governor's staff, Col. Schadel First Regiment, Monroe and Major Stearns, of Monroe, First regiment. Under Capt. Roger's command once more the Rifles will once more be one of the first military companies of the state.

THE Hot Springs located in the Black Hills of South Dakota have wonderful medicinal properties for the cure of rheumatism, neuralgia, and kindred ailments, and should be investigated by all suffering from such troubles. First class hotel accommodations and baths. Tourist tickets on sale daily and especially low rates on the first and third Tuesdays of each month. Full information furnished on application to ticket agents C. & N. W. R'y.

There is little to be done by the incumbent of this office beyond relieving the secretary of war of the consideration of minor matters of army detail and war department routine. This impression seems to have got abroad, anyhow, and there is no eagerness manifested to hold down this vacant chair by any of the patriots who have called at the White House since March 4 of this year.

Gen. Henderson of Illinois, who has been mentioned in connection with this place, said this afternoon that he was not an applicant for the position, and would not take it if it was tendered him.

Very Low, Rate Excursions to the West and South.

On March 16, April 6 and 20, the Northwestern line will sell Home Seeker's excursion tickets, with favorable time limits to numerous points in the West and South at exceptionally low rates. For tickets and full information apply to Agents Chicago & Northwestern Railway.

There is little to be done by the incumbent of this office beyond relieving the secretary of war of the consideration of minor matters of army detail and war department routine. This impression seems to have got abroad, anyhow, and there is no eagerness manifested to hold down this vacant chair by any of the patriots who have called at the White House since March 4 of this year.

Gen. Henderson of Illinois, who has been mentioned in connection with this place, said this afternoon that he was not an applicant for the position, and would not take it if it was tendered him.

Very Low, Rate Excursions to the West and South.

On March 16, April 6 and 20, the Northwestern line will sell Home Seeker's excursion tickets, with favorable time limits to numerous points in the West and South at exceptionally low rates. For tickets and full information apply to Agents Chicago & Northwestern Railway.

There is little to be done by the incumbent of this office beyond relieving the secretary of war of the consideration of minor matters of army detail and war department routine. This impression seems to have got abroad, anyhow, and there is no eagerness manifested to hold down this vacant chair by any of the patriots who have called at the White House since March 4 of this year.

Gen. Henderson of Illinois, who has been mentioned in connection with this place, said this afternoon that he was not an applicant for the position, and would not take it if it was tendered him.

Very Low, Rate Excursions to the West and South.

On March 16, April 6 and 20, the Northwestern line will sell Home Seeker's excursion tickets, with favorable time limits to numerous points in the West and South at exceptionally low rates. For tickets and full information apply to Agents Chicago & Northwestern Railway.

There is little to be done by the incumbent of this office beyond relieving the secretary of war of the consideration of minor matters of army detail and war department routine. This impression seems to have got abroad, anyhow, and there is no eagerness manifested to hold down this vacant chair by any of the patriots who have called at the White House since March 4 of this year.

Gen. Henderson of Illinois, who has been mentioned in connection with this place, said this afternoon that he was not an applicant for the position, and would not take it if it was tendered him.

Very Low, Rate Excursions to the West and South.

On March 16, April 6 and 20, the Northwestern line will sell Home Seeker's excursion tickets, with favorable time limits to numerous points in the West and South at exceptionally low rates. For tickets and full information apply to Agents Chicago & Northwestern Railway.

There is little to be done by the incumbent of this office beyond relieving the secretary of war of the consideration of minor matters of army detail and war department routine. This impression seems to have got abroad, anyhow, and there is no eagerness manifested to hold down this vacant chair by any of the patriots who have called at the White House since March 4 of this year.

Gen. Henderson of Illinois, who has been mentioned in connection with this place, said this afternoon that he was not an applicant for the position, and would not take it if it was tendered him.

J.M. BOSTWICK & SONS.
THE BIG STORE 20, 22, 24, 26, S. MAIN ST.
JANESVILLE, WIS.
WE KEEP THE QUALITY UP

New Things Have Been::

pouring into the store so fast the past few days that we have scarcely had time to get acquainted with them.

50 Pieces of Wash Goods

came to hand on the 17th instant; they are 3 1/2 inches wide, printed on an extra fine imported cloth by Wm. Simpson, Sons & Co. If we asked you 18 cents for it you would not be surprised. The patterns are very desirable, the colorings excellent. We consider it the best value we have seen. Have put a price on the lot that means quick selling—

12 1/2 Cents.

The Wash Goods Family

is a large one, judging from the immense variety at this store. We have a beautiful collection in many weights, and in both dark and light effects. By coming here one has the advantage of having the largest stock in Janesville to select from.

Linen Collars, Linen Cuffs.

There promises to be a larger sale on collars and cuffs this year than for many past. Novelty seems to be the thing this spring, and we show all the leading new things. The Tessica, or mortar board, is quite new and a pretty collar on. The high standing with flaring top is selling well. The half roll, open front and back, in both flare and lay down we show.

Several new styles that have gained the approval of critical buyers.

New Ties.....

to go with the new collar. Just received 50 dozen of the latest in Band Bows and Club Ties.

are now in. Prices are not high. We show a liberal assortment of cloth light and dark garments. Capes—many beautiful styles. We can interest you we feel sure.

are now in. Prices are not high. We show a liberal assortment of cloth light and dark garments. Capes—many beautiful styles. We can interest you we feel sure.

are now in. Prices are not high. We show a liberal assortment of cloth light and dark garments. Capes—many beautiful styles. We can interest you we feel sure.

are now in. Prices are not high. We show a liberal assortment of cloth light and dark garments. Capes—many beautiful styles. We can interest you we feel sure.

are now in. Prices are not high. We show a liberal assortment of cloth light and dark garments. Capes—many beautiful styles. We can interest you we feel sure.

are now in. Prices are not high. We show a liberal assortment of cloth light and dark garments. Capes—many beautiful styles. We can interest you we feel sure.

are now in. Prices are not high. We show a liberal assortment of cloth light and dark garments. Capes—many beautiful styles. We can interest you we feel sure.

are now in. Prices are not high. We show a liberal assortment of cloth light and dark garments. Capes—many beautiful styles. We can interest you we feel sure.

are now in. Prices are not high. We show a liberal assortment of cloth light and dark garments. Capes—many beautiful styles. We can interest you we feel sure.

are now in. Prices are not high. We show a liberal assortment of cloth light and dark garments. Capes—many beautiful styles. We can interest you we feel sure.

are now in. Prices are not high. We show a liberal assortment of cloth light and dark garments. Capes—many beautiful styles. We can interest you we feel sure.

are now in. Prices are not high. We show a liberal assortment of cloth light and dark garments. Capes—many beautiful styles. We can interest you we feel sure.

are now in. Prices are not high. We show a liberal assortment of cloth light and dark garments. Capes—many beautiful styles. We can interest you we feel sure.

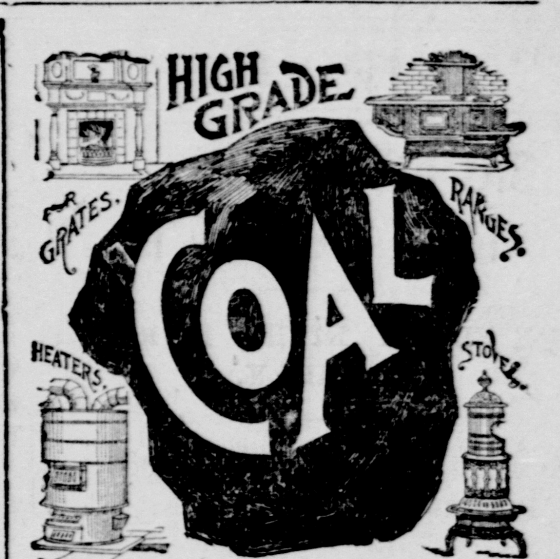
are now in. Prices are not high. We show a liberal assortment of cloth light and dark garments. Capes—many beautiful styles. We can interest you we feel sure.

are now in. Prices are not high. We show a liberal assortment of cloth light and dark garments. Capes—many beautiful styles. We can interest you we feel sure.

are now in. Prices are not high. We show a liberal assortment of cloth light and dark garments. Capes—many beautiful styles. We can interest you we feel sure.

are now in. Prices are not high. We show a liberal assortment of cloth light and dark garments. Capes—many beautiful styles. We can interest you we feel sure.

are now in. Prices are not high. We show a liberal assortment of cloth light and dark garments. Capes—many beautiful styles. We can interest you we feel sure.



Good coal.
Better satisfaction.
Best results.

JANESVILLE COAL CO.
P. E. NEUSES, Secretary
Telephone 89.

One Loaf of Quaker Bread

Worth Two of
Any Other:::

It's pure.
It's healthful.
It's of fine substance.
As good as any home made.
Hail the wagon. It passes your door daily.

WEST SIDE BAKERY.

161 W. Milwaukee St.
..PAUL GEHRKE, Prop..

Johnson's Oriental Soap:::

A medicated soap equal to Cuticura. Two cakes in a package. Retail for 25 cents. For this week we will sell it for

10c a Package

To Introduce It.

PALMER & BONESTEEL

DRUGGISTS.
F. R. M. coupons on all cash purchases.

Growing Business

Comes with satisfactory work. Our laundry business is increasing steadily our work is always right, the latest machinery and appliances make poor work impossible—try us and see.

JANESVILLE STEAM LAUNDRY

13 South Main Street.

L. R. TREAT,

Real Estate, Loans, Insurance.
Farms and City Property Bought, Sold and Exchanged.

List your property now and be ready for the spring boom.

ROOM 1, CARPENTER BLOCK.

WOULD YOU

Like to have plenty of berries to last the year through, you how it is done, and, by the way, if you don't happen to have the plants he can fit you out at small cost with first class stock. Write for particulars.

J. D. CURRY, Footville, Wis.

LADIES We reface dress skirts and make and repair coats.

Collarets made to order. Mending and cleaning of all kinds.

MISSISS GIBBONS & M'GINLEY,
On the Bridge, Room 10, over Weisend's.

NORTHWESTERN NOVELTY CO

10 South River Street

Game and advertising novelties specialties

THE OVERFLOW OF LOCAL NEWS.

JANESVILLE MARKET PRICES.

Quotations On Grain And Produce as Reported For The Gazette.

The following figures show the range of prices in the local market.

Wheat—Good to best Patent, \$1.10 to \$1.25 per sack.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—25c per 10 lb. sack.

Wheat—Fair to best quality 65 @ 75c.

BUCKWHEAT—30 @ 35c per 10 lb. sack.

BARLEY—Ranges at 18c @ 24c according to quality.

OATS—White, 13c @ 15c; 12 @ 13c; 14 @ 15c.

OATS—White, 13c @ 15c; 12 @ 13c; 14 @ 15c.

CLAY—For ton, \$7.00 @ \$7.50.

STRAW—40c @ 50c per ton.

FEED—50c per 100 lbs. Baled \$1.00.

FEED—50c per 100 lbs. \$1.00 per ton.

MIDDLINGS—50c per 100, \$4.00 per ton.

POTATOES—20c @ 25c per bushel.

BUTTER—18c @ 19c.

EGGS—17c @ 18c per dozen.

POULTRY—Turkeys, 9 @ 10 chickens, 6 @ 7.

WOLVES—11c @ 12c for 100; 8c @ 11c for 100.

HIDES—Green, 5c @ 6c; dry, 8c @ 9c.

PEARS—Range at 15c @ 16c per bushel.

If you have ever seen a child it the agony of croup, you can appreciate the gratitude of the mothers who know that One Minute Cough Cure relieves their little ones as quickly as it is administered. Many homes in this city are never without it. C. D. Stevens.

Tour of Old Mexico.

Under escort of American Tourist association. Beau Campbell, General manager. January 15 and February 27. Sleeping and dining cars and special baggage cars through all the tour without change. More miles and days in Mexico, more cities and towns than ever offered. Tickets include all expenses, sleeping and dining cars, hotels, etc. Apply to any ticket agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway for further particulars.

Don't allow the lungs to be impaired by the continuous irritation of a cough. It is easier to prevent consumption than to cure it. One Minute Cough Cure taken early will ward off any fatal lung trouble. C. D. Stevens.

Home Seekers' Excursions.

Home Seekers' round trip excursion tickets to points in Iowa, Minnesota, the Dakotas, Northern Wisconsin, Missouri, Nebraska, New Mexico, Texas, Mississippi, Louisiana, Georgia, Indian Territory, Kansas, Arkansas, Alabama, Florida on the Louisville & Nashville railroad North and South Carolina, Oklahoma, Tennessee, Kentucky and western portion of Colorado will be sold by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway at half fare plus \$2.00 on January 5 and 19, February 2 and 16, March 2 and 16 and April 6 and 20, 1897.

Many cases of "Grippe" have lately been cured by One Minute Cough Cure. This preparation seems especially adapted to the cure of this disease. It acts quickly thus preventing serious complications and bad effects in which this disease often leaves the patient. C. D. Stevens.

AN OLD QUESTION.



She—Pitwin did this great money question start?

He—Pitwin Eve asked Adam for her.

He—Pitwin Eve asked Adam for her.

Division of Labor.

She ran for office and swept everything before her, as all the world knows. Behind her, well, in her home, at least, Her husband sweeps, I suppose.

—Tupper Topics.

DANGER IN SODA.

Serious Results Sometimes Follow Its Excessive Use.

Common soda is all right in its place and indispensable in the kitchen and for cooking and washing purposes, but it was never intended for a medicine, and people who use it as such will soon day regret it.

We refer to the common use of soda to relieve heartburn or sour stomach, a habit which thousands of people practice almost daily, and one which is fraught with danger; moreover the soda only gives temporary relief and in the end the stomach trouble gets worse and worse.

The soda acts as a mechanical irritant to the walls of the stomach and bowels and cases are on record where it accumulated in the intestines, causing death by inflammation or peritonitis.

Dr. Harlandson recommends as the safest and surest cure for sour stomach (acid dyspepsia) an excellent preparation sold by druggists under the name of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. These tablets are large 20 grain lozenges, very pleasant to taste and contain the natural acids, pepsines, and digestive elements essential to good digestion, and when taken after meals they digest the food perfectly and promptly before it has time to ferment, sour and poison the blood and nervous system.

Dr. Wuerth states that he invariably uses Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets in all cases of stomach derangements and finds them a certain cure not only for sour stomach, but by promptly digesting the food they create a healthy appetite, increase flesh and strengthen the action of the heart and liver. They are not a cathartic, but intended only for stomach diseases and weakness and will be found reliable in any stomach trouble except cancer of the stomach.

All druggists sell Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets at 50 cts. per box.

A little book describing all forms of stomach weakness and the cure mailed free by addressing the Stuart Co., of Marshall, Mich.

GAVE A SCHUMAN PROGRAM

THE PROGRAM FOR TONIGHT.

Musical-Literary Society met at the Caledonian Society's Rooms.

The Musical-Literary Society met at the Caledonian Society's rooms last evening, and presented a Schuman program as follows:

Reading—Mrs. Charles L. Clark.

Quartette—"The Water Sprite"—Mrs. S. W. St. John, Miss Franc Edwards, Mrs. J. F. Sweeney, Mrs. C. L. Clark.

Analysis—Mrs. Mary Stever.

Instrumental Solo—"A Trimmer"—Mrs. James S. Field.

Vocal Solo—"The Two Grenadiers"—William Bladen.

Analysis—Miss Marie Paulson.

Vocal Solo—"At Midnight"—Miss Elizabeth Palmer.

Analysis—"I'll Not 'omplain'"—Miss Elizabeth Palmer.

Vocal Solo—"Goodbye"—Mrs. Hattie Torrens.

Analysis—"Scenes From Carnival"—Mrs. Will T. Sherer.

Instrumental Solo—"The Two Grenadiers"—William Bladen.

Analysis—"I'll Not 'omplain'"—Miss Elizabeth Palmer.

Vocal Solo—"Goodbye"—Mrs. Hattie Torrens.

Analysis—"Scenes From Carnival"—Mrs. Will T. Sherer.

Instrumental Solo—"The Two Grenadiers"—William Bladen.

Analysis—"I'll Not 'omplain'"—Miss Elizabeth Palmer.

Vocal Solo—"Goodbye"—Mrs. Hattie Torrens.

Analysis—"Scenes From Carnival"—Mrs. Will T. Sherer.

Instrumental Solo—"The Two Grenadiers"—William Bladen.

Analysis—"I'll Not 'omplain'"—Miss Elizabeth Palmer.

Vocal Solo—"Goodbye"—Mrs. Hattie Torrens.

Analysis—"Scenes From Carnival"—Mrs. Will T. Sherer.

Instrumental Solo—"The Two Grenadiers"—William Bladen.

Analysis—"I'll Not 'omplain'"—Miss Elizabeth Palmer.

Vocal Solo—"Goodbye"—Mrs. Hattie Torrens.

Analysis—"Scenes From Carnival"—Mrs. Will T. Sherer.

Instrumental Solo—"The Two Grenadiers"—William Bladen.

Analysis—"I'll Not 'omplain'"—Miss Elizabeth Palmer.

Vocal Solo—"Goodbye"—Mrs. Hattie Torrens.

Analysis—"Scenes From Carnival"—Mrs. Will T. Sherer.

Instrumental Solo—"The Two Grenadiers"—William Bladen.

Analysis—"I'll Not 'omplain'"—Miss Elizabeth Palmer.

Vocal Solo—"Goodbye"—Mrs. Hattie Torrens.

Analysis—"Scenes From Carnival"—Mrs. Will T. Sherer.

Instrumental Solo—"The Two Grenadiers"—William Bladen.

Analysis—"I'll Not 'omplain'"—Miss Elizabeth Palmer.

Vocal Solo—"Goodbye"—Mrs. Hattie Torrens.

Analysis—"Scenes From Carnival"—Mrs. Will T. Sherer.

Instrumental Solo—"The Two Grenadiers"—William Bladen.

Analysis—"I'll Not 'omplain'"—Miss Elizabeth Palmer.

Vocal Solo—"Goodbye"—Mrs. Hattie Torrens.

Analysis—"Scenes From Carnival"—Mrs. Will T. Sherer.

Instrumental Solo—"The Two Grenadiers"—William Bladen.

Analysis—"I'll Not 'omplain'"—Miss Elizabeth Palmer.

Vocal Solo—"Goodbye"—Mrs. Hattie Torrens.

Analysis—"Scenes From Carnival"—Mrs. Will T. Sherer.

Instrumental Solo—"The Two Grenadiers"—William Bladen.

Analysis—"I'll Not 'omplain'"—Miss Elizabeth Palmer.

Vocal Solo—"Goodbye"—Mrs. Hattie Torrens.

Analysis—"Scenes From Carnival"—Mrs. Will T. Sherer.

Instrumental Solo—"The Two Grenadiers"—William Bladen.

Analysis—"I'll Not 'omplain'"—Miss Elizabeth Palmer.

Vocal Solo—"Goodbye"—Mrs. Hattie Torrens.

Analysis—"Scenes From Carnival"—Mrs. Will T. Sherer.

Instrumental Solo—"The Two Grenadiers"—William Bladen.

Analysis—"I'll Not 'omplain'"—Miss Elizabeth Palmer.

Vocal Solo—"Goodbye"—Mrs. Hattie Torrens.

Analysis—"Scenes From Carnival"—Mrs. Will T. Sherer.

Instrumental Solo—"The Two Grenadiers"—William Bladen.

Analysis—"I'll Not 'omplain'"—Miss Elizabeth Palmer.

Vocal Solo—"Goodbye"—Mrs. Hattie Torrens.

Analysis—"Scenes From Carnival"—Mrs. Will T. Sherer.

Instrumental Solo—"The Two Grenadiers"—William Bladen.

Analysis—"I'll Not 'omplain'"—Miss Elizabeth Palmer.

Vocal Solo—"Goodbye"—Mrs. Hattie Torrens.

Analysis—"Scenes From Carnival"—Mrs. Will T. Sherer.

Instrumental Solo—"The Two Grenadiers"—William Bladen.

Analysis—"I'll Not 'omplain'"—Miss Elizabeth Palmer.

Vocal Solo—"Goodbye"—Mrs. Hattie Torrens.

Analysis—"Scenes From Carnival"—Mrs. Will T. Sherer.

Instrumental Solo—"The Two Grenadiers"—William Bladen.

Analysis—"I'll Not 'omplain'"—Miss Elizabeth Palmer.

Vocal Solo—"Goodbye"—Mrs. Hattie Torrens.

Analysis—"Scenes From Carnival"—Mrs. Will T. Sherer.

Instrumental Solo—"The Two Grenadiers"—William Bladen.

Analysis—"I'll Not 'omplain'"—Miss Elizabeth Palmer.

Vocal Solo—"Goodbye"—Mrs. Hattie Torrens.

Analysis—"Scenes From Carnival"—Mrs. Will T. Sherer.

Instrumental Solo—"The Two Grenadiers"—William Bladen.

Analysis—"I'll Not 'omplain'"—Miss Elizabeth Palmer.

Vocal Solo—"Goodbye"—Mrs. Hattie Torrens.

Analysis—"Scenes From Carnival"—Mrs. Will T. Sherer.

Instrumental Solo—"The Two Grenadiers"—William Bladen.

Analysis—"I'll Not 'omplain'"—Miss Elizabeth Palmer.

Vocal Solo—"Goodbye"—Mrs. Hattie Torrens.

Analysis—"Scenes From Carnival"—Mrs. Will T. Sherer.

Instrumental Solo—"The Two Grenadiers"—William Bladen.

OLIOGRAPHIC club.

Y. M. C. B. ban!

SINCE THE GOLF club.

BILLY Link's Vaudeville company.

WISCONSIN Lodge No. 14, I. O. O. F.

They are so small that the most sensitive persons take them, they are so effective that the most obstinate cases of constipation, headache and torpid liver yield to them. That is why DeWitt's Little Early Risers are known as the famous little pills. C. D. Stevens.

Office of City Clerk, City of Janesville, Wis., March 26, 1897.

Notice is hereby given that a municipal election is to be held in the several wards and election precincts in the city of Janesville, on the sixth day of April, 1897, at which the officers named below are to be chosen:

A city clerk.

A street commissioner.

A school commissioner at large.

A justice of the peace.

A sealer of weights and measures.

An alderman, supervisor and constable in each ward.

A school commissioner in the First, Third and Fifth wards.

And an alderman in the First ward to fill vacancy caused by the resignation of S. B. Hedges.

The polls at the several precincts will be open at 6 o'clock a. m. and close at seven o'clock p. m.

The precincts of the several wards are located as follows:

First precinct First ward. Building owned by the city on North River street, north of engine house.

Second precinct First ward. Building owned by the city on Terrace street, on the land of Croft estate.

First precinct, Second ward, at No. 15 1/2 North Main street.

Second precinct, Second ward, building owned by John Thorndike, at the northwest corner of Fourth avenue and North Main street.

First precinct, Third ward, building owned by W. B. Conrad, near east end of Court Street bridge.

Second precinct, Third ward, building owned by the city on Racine street, east of and near South Main street.

First precinct, Fourth ward, at No. 16 South River street.

Second precinct, Fourth ward, at No. 53 South Academy street, building owned by the city on Holmes street, near Center avenue.

By order of the Common Council.

A. E. BADGER, City Clerk.

Notice of Voting For or Against License

City of Janesville, City Clerk's Office, March 17, 1897.—Notice is hereby given, that at a municipal election, to be held in the several wards and election precincts of the city of Janesville on the 6th day of April, 1897, there will be submitted to the electors of said city the question whether or not any person shall be licensed to deal or traffic in any spirituous malt or intoxicating liquors or drinks as a beverage in said city.

A. E. BADGER, City Clerk.

Torturing, itching, scaly skin eruptions, burns and scalds are soothed at once and promptly healed by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, the best known cure for piles. C. D. Stevens.

A Well Defined Claim.

"I didn't know Count de Funet was one of the creditors of Cashier, who went to the wall the other day."

"Well, you see, he bases his claim on the fact that he proposed to Cashier's daughter the week before the crash."

Philadelphia North American.

Poor Indeed.

"Those folks next door must be distressingly hard up."

"Why, have you been inspecting their clothes line?"

"No; but not a member of the whole family has a '97 wheel."—Detroit Free Press.

Nobody in Particular.

"Did you wish to see anyone in particular, madam?" asked the floor-walker.

"Oh, no," replied the lady, with a giggle; "I made an appointment to meet my husband here."—Yonkers Statesman.

Relief In Six Hours.

Distressing Kidney and Bladder diseases relieved in six hours by "NEW GREAT SOUTH AMERICAN KIDNEY CURE." This new remedy is a great surprise on account of its extraordinary promptness in relieving pain in the bladder, kidneys, back and every part of the urinary tract in male or female. It relieves retention of water and pain in passing it almost immediately. If you want quick relief and cure this is the remedy. Sold by E. B. Heimstreet, druggist, Janesville, Wis.

One minute is all the time necessary to decide from personal experience that One Minute Cough Cure does what its name implies. C. D. Stevens.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT Seven-room house on Cornelia 2d ward. Enquire at 154 Cornelia St. In good repair. Nicely located.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Look at this!—One of the finest modern style homes in the city. Furnace, hot and cold water, gas, water for bath rooms; in fact complete in every respect, and offered at \$500 less than actual cost, if taken soon. D. Conger.

FOR SALE—Corner Glen and Garfield Sts., good seven room house, eastern, cellar and good barn with one to four lots, cheap. Enquire 308 1/2 street.

FOR SALE—Several new modern style homes, your time to buy before the spring rush. D. Conger.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Two good business chances. But little money required. Will take city property. D. Conger.

FOR SALE Two boilers suitable for factory work. Inquire at this office.

WANTED.

WANTED—Whitehead, Matheson & Smith.

WANTED.

NOTICE—If you have Western or Southern lands, improved farms, city, village or personal property of any description, list it with me and I can dispose of it for you. D. Conger.

WANTED—By young man attending the school—places to work mornings and evenings and Saturdays for bread. Valentine Bros.

WANTED—Two or three furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Address "L," Gazette Office.

TO EXCHANGE—Equities in city property for western land or merchandise. D. Conger.

NO MORE TRUSSES FOR ME.

RUPTURE CURED

BY 30 TO 60 DAYS.

No Surgical Operation.

No Serious Pain.

No Loss of Time.

No Pay until Cured.

EXAMINATION FREE.

Over 180 Persons Cured in Rockford, Ill., and vicinity during the past two years.

Sent for Circulars.

WINN & SOVEREIGN, EXCLUSIVE OWNERS OF

Fidelity Rupture Cure

Home Office, Brown Bldg., ROCKFORD, ILL.

AT JANESVILLE, WIS., EVERY TUESDAY.

Office over Brown Bros. Shoe Store.

9:30 TO 12 A. M. AND 1 TO 5 P. M.

GLASSWARE!

A GRIST OF IT

All kinds of dishes and sets; a big invoice just received. We are going to sell it cheaper than any other store in the city. Come in and see the line. Our Prices are always low. Will give you figures in a day or two that will surprise you.

THE BOSTON STORE.

7 and 9 River St.

Early Ohio Seed Potatoes.

The Best you ever saw

35c

.....A Bushel.

NOLAN BROS.

Next Grand Hotel, phone 172.

RIDERS' RACKET STORE.

Spring, beautiful spring, is here, though it means house cleaning and furnishing. We have strong

Copper Bottom Wash Boilers, 75 and 90c

Three Sizes Washbuds, 40, 50 and 60c.

Scrub Brushes, Brooms, White Wash Brushes, Paint Brushes, Dust Pans, Clothes Racks, Towel Racks, Dish Pans, Dippers, Mop Sticks, Carpet Tacks, Tack Hammers, Scouring Soap, Pails, etc., all good quality and cheap.

Window Shades with Spring Rollers, all complete, 15 and 25c.

A Good Substantial Umbrella, 50c.

Fishing Tackle in good variety.

Children's Marbles.

Steel Wagons and Wheelbarrows.

RIDER'S, near Grand Hotel

163 W. Milwaukee St.

Your Stomach Distresses You

after eating a hearty meal, and the result is a chronic case of Indigestion, Sour Stomach, Heartburn, Dyspepsia, or a bilious attack.

RIPANS TABLETS

Promote Digestion, Regulate the Stomach, Liver and Bowels, Purify the Blood, and are a Positive Cure for Constipation, Sick Headache, Biliousness, and all other Diseases arising from a disordered condition of the Liver and Stomach. They act gently yet promptly, and perfect digestion follows their use.

Ripans Tablets take the place of an Entire Medicine Chest, and are kept for use in every family.

Price, 50 Cents a box. At Druggists, or by mail, RIPANS CHEMICAL CO., 10 SPRUCE ST., NEW YORK.

To the Young Face

POZZONI'S COMPLEXION POWDER gives fresher charms; to the old, renewed youth. Try it.

Your Stomach Distresses You

after eating a hearty meal, and the result is a chronic case of Indigestion, Sour Stomach, Heartburn, Dyspepsia, or a bilious attack.

RIPANS TABLETS

Promote Digestion, Regulate the Stomach, Liver and Bowels, Purify the Blood, and are a Positive Cure for Constipation, Sick Headache, Biliousness, and all other Diseases arising from a disordered condition of the Liver and Stomach. They act gently yet promptly, and perfect digestion follows their use.

Ripans Tablets take the place of an Entire Medicine Chest, and are kept for use in every family.

Price, 50 Cents a box. At Druggists, or by mail, RIPANS CHEMICAL CO., 10 SPRUCE ST., NEW YORK.

To the Young Face

POZZONI'S COMPLEXION POWDER gives fresher charms; to the old, renewed youth. Try it.

Your Stomach Distresses You

after eating a hearty meal, and the result is a chronic case of Indigestion, Sour Stomach, Heartburn, Dyspepsia, or a bilious attack.

RIPANS TABLETS

Promote Digestion, Regulate the Stomach, Liver and Bowels, Purify the Blood, and are a Positive Cure for Constipation, Sick Headache, Biliousness, and all other Diseases arising from a disordered condition of the Liver and Stomach. They act gently yet promptly, and perfect digestion follows their use.

Ripans Tablets take the place of an Entire Medicine Chest, and are kept for use in every family.

Price, 50 Cents a box. At Druggists, or by mail, RIPANS CHEMICAL CO., 10 SPRUCE ST., NEW YORK.

To the Young Face

POZZONI'S COMPLEXION POWDER gives fresher charms; to the old, renewed youth. Try it.

Your Stomach Distresses You

after eating a hearty meal, and the result is a chronic case of Indigestion, Sour Stomach, Heartburn, Dyspepsia, or a bilious attack.

RIPANS TABLETS

Promote Digestion, Regulate the Stomach, Liver and Bowels, Purify the Blood, and are a Positive Cure for Constipation, Sick Headache, Biliousness, and all other Diseases arising from a disordered condition of the Liver and Stomach. They act gently yet promptly, and perfect digestion follows their use.

Ripans Tablets take the place of an Entire Medicine Chest, and are kept for use in every family.

Price, 50 Cents a box. At Druggists, or by mail, RIPANS CHEMICAL CO., 10 SPRUCE ST., NEW YORK.

To the Young Face

POZZONI'S COMPLEXION POWDER gives fresher charms; to the old, renewed youth. Try it.

Your Stomach Distresses You

after eating a hearty meal, and the result is a chronic case of Indigestion, Sour St

THE JANESVILLE GAZETTE

THE OFFICIAL CITY PAPER

Entered at the postoffice at Janesville, Wis., as second class matter

The City Ticket.

Mayor.....STUART B. HEDDLES
City Clerk.....ARTHUR E. BADGER
Street Commissioner.....GEORGE PALMER
School Com'r-at-Large.....C. L. VALENTINE
Sealer of Weights and Measures.....G. H. DAVEY
Justice of the Peace.....L. F. PATTEN

First Ward.

Alderman.....WALTERS. RICE
Alderman.....FRANK E. FIFIELD
Supervisor.....C. E. BOWLES
School Commissioner.....JAMES SHEARER
Constable.....JAMES L. HARPER

Second Ward.

Alderman.....S. C. BURNHAM
Supervisor.....C. D. CHILD
Constable.....A. K. CUTTS

Third Ward.

Alderman.....H. S. GILKEY
Supervisor.....J. L. BEAR
School Commissioner.....JOHN CUNNINGHAM
Constable.....WALLACE COCHRANE

Fourth Ward.

Alderman.....F. M. MARZLUFF
Supervisor.....JOHN M. WHITEHEAD
Constable.....DAVID LAWRENCE

Fifth Ward.

Alderman.....CHARLES M. WARREN
Supervisor.....J. W. HOGDON
School Commissioner.....J. G. WRAY
Constable.....A. W. MITCHELL

THE ECONOMY ISSUE.

The idea that Mr. Thoroughgood should run for office on the economy platform seems stranger the more it is considered. Mr. Thoroughgood is a man of many good qualities. He has been of much service to the city, regardless of such unfortunate mistakes as were made in shaping the course of the water case. He attended strictly to business while in office, and most of his serious lapses have come from his unwillingness to accept advice.

Economy in the use of ward and city funds, however, has never been his marked characteristic. Even his best friends have never before made such a claim in his behalf.

As already stated, he was the first mayor to borrow money on notes to add to the amount raised through regular channels; and he thus established a practice likely at any time to be fruitful with bad results.

The democratic managers have found it prudent to claim, however, that a mayor has very little to do with the spending of city funds. Leaving Mr. Thoroughgood's record as mayor out of the question for a moment, let us turn back to the figures for his four years as an alderman.

The control of ward funds by the aldermen is absolute. It is conceded that an alderman's efficiency may be judged fairly by what he achieves along this line. Mr. Thoroughgood was in the council in 1886, 1887, 1889 and 1890. The first year the Second ward fund was \$750. By the end of his fourth year ward expenses had been trebled. The figures for the four years show a steady increase from year to year. They are:

1886.....	\$ 750
1887.....	800
1889.....	1,200
1890.....	2,000

Beginning with \$750, a sum which most of his predecessors found more than sufficient, Mr. Thoroughgood increased the amount raised for ward purposes to \$2,000, and left as the principal monument a ditch five blocks long, requiring expensive repairs each year. In view of these facts, the economy plea used by democratic managers seems ill-advised, and suggests what dangers attended their venture into strange fields.

FARMERS GET THE BENEFIT.

Enough is known of the new tariff to assure farmers that its provisions have been framed with regard to a liberal protection of their interests. The mistake made in the elections of 1892 has been acknowledged by the country and a return to former conditions approved. No agriculturalist will ever recall the second administration of Cleveland without feeling glad that its repetition is impossible. While an era of good crops, it was also a period of unusual depression on the farm and of singularly unremunerative prices. The new tariff will not be welcome in Canada, but Canadians pay no taxes on this side of the line and bear none of the responsibilities of our citizenship. Our economic laws must deal justly with our own people, develop their resources and guard their prosperity against policies selfishly pressed in upon us from outside competitors. The farmers of the United States know that the times with them have been out of joint for several years, and the renewed consideration of their affairs is in itself an aid and an encouragement.

The Washington Post comes to the defense of the former assistant secretary of war in a paragraph declaring: "If Secretary Lamont had not wanted Mr. Doe, Mr. Doe would under no circumstances have remained. It would not have been necessary to give him a sinecure and the cold shoulder. Mr. Doe has been, throughout his term of service, an industrious and efficient officer. He has had an abundance of work to do and has done it well. He and his chief have been on the best of terms from the beginning to the end."

The amendment to the constitution voted on this spring authorizes the creation of another circuit judgeship in Milwaukee county, the salary being

paid out of the state treasury as in the case of other circuit judges.

In speaking about economy in municipal affairs The Recorder fails to quote from its own files regarding a trip to Omaha upon which it commented severely not many campaigns since.

WAS A'GWINE FOH TO KAHVE.

Bad Colored Man Had the Regulation Weapon of Defense.

A colored tramp who was refused admittance to the Garvin home on Wall street this morning drew a razor and threatened to "kahve" Mrs. Garvin's son, Herb, because he ordered the stranger from the yard. Officer Appleby soon put in an appearance and the vicious colored man was taken in hand. He said he merely wanted something to eat and that he meant no harm "wif de razzah." He was allowed to go on the promise that he leave town at once.

BELOIT MAN GETS DIVORCE

L. B. Gleave Freed From His Wife—Other Court News.

Lewis B. Gleave was granted a divorce from his wife, Lillian Gleave. Both parties reside in Beloit.

In the foreclosure case of John Lang vs. F. M. Hibbard et al., the court gave judgment in favor of the plaintiff in the sum of \$851.08 damages, \$25 solicitor's fees and \$113.16 costs. H. A. Moerer was appointed receiver with bond fixed at \$250.

CHICAGO MARKETS BY WIRE

Chicago, March 31.—[Special]—

The foreign markets were in full sympathy with our weakness of yesterday and there seems to be a complete surrender of every position heretofore occupied by the bulls. The world's shipments are small, but the demand is smaller. Stocks are small but sufficient and as in England so everywhere the farmers' stocks seem to be large and the education for high prices, the advice to hold wheat for a dollar, and the ridiculous assertion that America held the key to the wheat situation which was preached by Thomas Beerblom and every other statistician last December, is bearing fruit now in utter demoralization, when it is found their observation had been sufficient and their reasoning false. The result is an absolute distrust of every bull argument; and liquidation of May wheat is the only consideration now.

This liquidation will now go on until completed and nothing can stop it. We have always maintained that as soon as the bulls surrendered their position on the old crop and tried to bull the new crop the bull side was lost. It is irrevocably so now. If cash wheat is not worth a good premium then the new crop is not worth 60 cents and it should be sold freely. Nothing but war news can bull it. Crop reports will not do it. On the 18th of March May wheat was 1 1/2 cents above July and on that day for the first time we advocated the buying of May, and the buying of July. The price rose to 2 1/2 cents but today is down to 1 1/2 cents and the liquidation in May wheat will no doubt bring the price even with July to the extent of 2 cents or one cent. We maybe wrong for the time being but we are always willing to be wrong for a cent when we believe that we are in herently correct. Corn is actually higher than it was yesterday and pork is no lower. It speaks volumes for the strength in these articles in view of the panicky feeling which prevails in wheat.

Chicago Board of Trade quotations furnished The Gazette by Robert Lindbloom & Co., to Splann & Law Commission Co., No. 24 West Milwaukee street.

	Opening.	High.	Low.	Close.
May Wheat.....	71 1/2	71 3/4	70 1/2	70 3/4
July Wheat.....	70	70 1/2	69 1/2	69 3/4
May Corn.....	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
July Corn.....	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
May Oats.....	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
July Oats.....	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
May Pork.....	\$8 47	\$8 47	\$8 47	\$8 47
July Pork.....	\$8 60	\$8 60	\$8 60	\$8 60
May Lard.....	4 22	4 22	4 20	4 22
May Short Ribs.....	4 60	4 65	4 60	4 65

Liverpool cables 1 1/2 penny lower.
Minneapolis and Duluth receipts: Wheat 391 cars. Puts 70 1/2-1/4. Calls 71 1/2-1/4. Curb 71.

Chicago Car Lots: Wheat, 14, corn, 103, oats, 102. Chicago hogs 24,000. Estimated for tomorrow, 24,000.

IN THE VALLEY OF THE SHADOW

John Drew.

John Drew died at the home of his brother, Thomas Drew, in the town of Magnolia, at 7:30 o'clock last evening, aged sixty-seven years. Mr. Drew was an old settler, having come to Wisconsin from Ireland, in 1848. Besides his brother, Thomas Drew, he leaves one sister, Mrs. Thomas Baker, of this city. The funeral will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday, at St. Augustine's church, Footville, and the interment will be at Mt. Olivet.

Mrs. H. A. Porter.

Mrs. H. A. Porter, mother of W. K. Porter, night ticket agent of the Chicago & Northwestern road, died at Fort Atkinson last evening at 9:30 o'clock, of pneumonia and inflammation of the kidneys.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS—STATE OF WISCONSIN—County Court for Rock County. In probate.

Notice is hereby given that at the regular Oct. term of the County Court, to be held in and for said county, at the Court House, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the first Tuesday, of Oct., A. D. 1897, being Oct. 4, 1897, at 9 o'clock a.m., the following matters will be heard, considered and adjusted.

All claims against Wilhelm Muenke, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased.

All such claims must be presented for allowance to said court, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county on or before the 30th day of Sept., A. D. 1897, or be barred.

Dated March 30, 1897.
By the Court:
JOHN W. SALE County Judge.
wedmar614w

MAYOR Frank S. Baines has declined the democratic nomination for supervisor from the First ward.

One of Mrs. Pinkham's Talks

Concerning a Mother's Duty to Her Young Daughter. Together with a Chat with Miss Marie Johnson.

The balance wheel of a woman's life is menstruation. On the proper performance of this function depends her health.

Irregularity lays the foundation of many diseases, and is in itself symptom of disease. It is of the greatest importance that regularity be accomplished as soon as possible after the flow is an established fact.

Disturbance of the menstrual function poisons the blood. In young girls suppression develops latent inherited tendencies to scrofula or consumption, and no time must be lost in restoring regularity. Many a young girl goes to her grave because this difficulty has been thought lightly of, and mother has said, "Time will bring about a cure; she is young, I don't worry about her."

Mother, when you see your daughter languid and indifferent to things that usually interest a young girl, when you note that flush on her cheek, that glassy appearance in her eyes; when your daughter tells you that even the weight of her dress waist oppresses her, and that she has terrible pains in her stomach shortly after eating, don't ignore these signs! If you do, you will be following your daughter to the grave, for she will die!

This is gospel truth—she is developing consumption of the bowels!

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the greatest regulator known to medicine. Make haste to use it on the first appearance of the tell-tale symptoms; it will restore all the female organs to their normal condition. Miss Marie Johnson's letter to Mrs. Pinkham, which follows, should interest all mothers and young ladies. She says:

"My health became so poor that I had to leave school. I was tired all the time, and had dreadful pains in my side and back. I would have the headache so badly that everything would appear black before my eyes, and I could not go on with my studies. I was also troubled with irregularity of menses. I was very weak, and lost so much flesh that my friends became alarmed. My mother, who is a firm believer in your remedies from experience, thought perhaps they might benefit me, and wrote you for advice. I followed the advice you gave, and used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Liver Pills as you directed, and am now as well as I ever was. I have gained flesh and have a good color. I am completely cured of irregularity. Words cannot express my gratitude, and I cannot thank you enough for your kind advice and medicine."—MISS MARIE F. JOHNSON, Centralia, Pa.

RUMMAGE THROUGH THE STOREROOM

Get your Magazines together and have them bound.

65c
for a substantial cloth and leather binding. Magazines are worth taking care of.

W. E. CLINTON & CO.
32 S. Main St., Janesville.
(Over Conrad & Co.)
Telephone 22

Piano Tuning.

The State School for Blind is prepared to send out piano tuners on short notice to do work in the city. The class now under instruction by Mr. Gabler has completed with it some young men who are experts, after taking a four years' course. I will personally guarantee this work. Orders will receive prompt attention.
Telephone 25. H. F. BLISS Sept.

CITY COAL YARD

All grades of Anthracite Hard Coal
Cannel Coal, Hocking Valley Coal,
Wilmington Lump Smokeless Coal,
Best Pokahontas, Dry Pine Slabs,
Dry Oak Slabs, Kindling Wood for
summer use.

Call and see us—cheap for cash

Crossett & Bonesteel,
Agents,
Anti-Combine Coal Dealers.

To be in style

Every lady should wear Puffs and Curls, and lots of them. Switches and Hair Goods of all kinds made to order.

MRS. SADLER,
ostoffice
W. Milwaukee St.

SPRING SHOES

The Representative Stock of the City...

All the variety the hardest to please could ask for. Burt & Packard's complete line of "Kor-rect Shape" Shoes.

WEAR THE BURT & PACKARD

See that EVERY PAIR IS STAMPED THE BURT & PACKARD "Kor-rect Shape."



Elegant Shoes for

\$4 and \$5

Stacy, Adams & Co. peach toe combination tan, simply out of sight. We have beautiful tan shoes for

\$3.00 and

\$3.50.....

No reason why men should not wear tan shoes of the latest styles. You don't have to spend such an enormous amount to get them.

Talk About Ladies' Shoes—

We can scoop them all—Oxbloods and Chocolates in all shades and the late popular Bottle Green. You will agree that so far we have shown the superior line of the city. This spring's stock is ahead of any yet. It is easy to convince you if you will come into the store and see the shoes—it's a pleasure to show them. Please remember our stock is all new—no old numbers to show.

Miss Rose McConnell drew the last wheel; are you the person to get the bicycle we will give away April 22. A numbered coupon with every 50c cash purchase.

Bennett and Luby,

ON THE BRIDGE.

Our free shine chair runs every working day in the year.

Chocolate

and Ox-

blood color

the late

Shades.

Elegant Shoes for

\$4 and \$5

Stacy, Adams & Co. peach toe combination tan, simply out of sight. We have beautiful tan shoes for

\$3.00 and

\$3.50.....

No reason why men should not wear tan shoes of the latest styles. You don't have to spend such an enormous amount to get them.

Talk About Ladies' Shoes—

We can scoop them all—Oxbloods and Chocolates in all shades and the late popular Bottle Green. You will agree that so far we have shown the superior line of the city. This spring's stock is ahead of any yet. It is easy to convince you if you will come into the store and see the shoes—it's a pleasure to show them. Please remember our stock is all new—no old numbers to show.

Miss Rose McConnell drew the last wheel; are you the person to get the bicycle we will give away April 22. A numbered coupon with every 50c cash purchase.

Bennett and Luby,

ON THE BRIDGE.

Our free shine chair runs every working day in the year.

"The Finest That Ever Came Over the Pike."

Are our NEW SPRING SUITS in the new shades of

Dark Brown Cheviots.

Rich Tan Mixtures.

Gray English Tweeds.

Olive and Brown Scotch Patterns.

Canadian Homespins, Etc.

Beautiful fitting, equal to what a first class tailor would do; they start at \$10.00 and run up to \$20.00. You'll pronounce them the finest lot of suitings you ever saw.

When a man buys clothes the first thing to think about is the cloth. He wants appropriate patterns, stylish, attractive goods that will stand wear. The next thing he considers is the making. He wants to know it will hold its shape and look right when he puts it on.

Everything that is good in making fit and attractiveness of patterns is embodied in the stylish spring suit we begin to show. It will soon be time to look up spring garments. Why not look ours over.

We show the new and stylish Top Overcoat. The cut represents but a few of many stylish garments we carry.

T. J. ZIEGLER.

We recover Umbrellas }
while you wait,

E. J. SMITH, Manager.

THE CITY TICKET IS A STRONG ONE

REPUBLICANS ARE SURE OF
SUCCESS.

The Candidates Are All Pleased With the Outlook—Some of Mr. Thoroughgood's Economy While Alderman For the Second Ward—Something About the Republican Leaders

The republican candidates met at the council chamber last night and talked over the prospects. All are satisfied with the outlook and feel confident of success.

Now that the economical plank has been incorporated in the democratic platform, Second ward voters are commenting on the fact that the ward funds, during Mr. Thoroughgood's four years of service as alderman, increased from year to year as follows:

1886—\$ 750.

1887— 800.

1888— 1,200.

1890— 2,000.

They claim this does not support his plea for economy in city affairs, and cite the ward expenses and the big Second ward ditch as among the reasons why the Second ward has not been unanimous for Mr. Thoroughgood in the last few years.

The success of the republican ticket is now assured. Each day brings new strength to the republican lines, and many democrats are rallying to the support of the "straight ticket."

A Good Man For Mayor.

Stuart B. Heddles' splendid record commands the respect of all people, and that the city's interests will be safe in his hands is the general opinion. As chairman of several of the important committees, and president of the council, he has had better opportunities to become familiar with the needs of the city than any other man in the council. That he has improved these opportunities no one who knows the man can doubt.

George Palmer, the republican candidate for street commissioner is another man to whom the party can point with pride. Mr. Palmer has been employed by the city on street work and is thoroughly posted. He is not a green hand at the business but has had practical experience that is necessary in this office. No mistake can be made in electing Mr. Palmer as street commissioner.

The Other Republicans.

City Clerk Arthur E. Badger has served the city faithfully and well for the past two years. He has been an excellent official and has looked after the city's interests with zeal and fidelity. His record entitles him to the support of all believers in good government and the recognizing of a capable official. The city would be the loser if Clerk Badger were defeated so republicans can see to it that his majority be unusually large.

Charles L. Valentine, the candidate for school commissioner at large, is one of Janesville's best men. He has had wide experience in public affairs, and will make a valuable member of the school board. Mr. Valentine is one of the most popular men in the city, and his ability and sterling character will win him a very large majority.

Hon. L. F. Patten is the republican nominee for justice of the peace. He is a lawyer of ability, and has filled the office of municipal judge and justice with credit to himself and his constituents.

George H. Davey, the candidate for sealer of weights and measures as a staunch republican, and is one of Janesville's best known citizens. He will be elected by a very large majority.

The republican city ticket is an exceptionally strong one this year, and it should have and will get the entire party support.

JEKYLL AND HYDE POLITICS

Beloit Free Press Speaks of the Thoroughgood Campaign.

The Beloit Free Press says: "Having been elected mayor of Janesville by the republicans, Mr. Thoroughgood, to even things up, is now seeking election to the same effect as the candidate of the democrats of that city. This is something in the Jekyll and Hyde line in politics, and it remains to be seen whether Mr. Thoroughgood can play the title role successfully. There are those who predict that his debut in the character will be a failure."

About That Spring Dress.

Most every lady plans for a new spring dress and a number of them have their plans materialize. We want to say to all the ladies that if they are particularly economically inclined we can save them some money this spring. Our stock is very complete in all the different grades and perhaps if you had given up the idea of purchasing on account of the expense, we could make it possible through cheap prices for you to secure the dress. Come in and look our stock over. Bort, Bailey & Co.

New Shoes.

Richardson received a large invoice of men's shoes from Strong & Garfield's this morning. The line is one that stands out prominently from all others in its superior points of shoe making. The firm has a reputation unequalled and the lot we received is full of elegant shoes. We want you to see them; come in any time. Richardson's.

Dr. William Horne, who recently returned from a visit in Texas, says that he will always have a good word for the Lone Star state. The country is fertile and a good class of people live within her borders.

A COLUMN OF LOCAL GOSSIP.

MARBOONS.

RICHARDSON'S MARBOONS.

EGGS 8 cents at Sanborn's.

MARBOONS \$2.85 at Richardson's.

EGGS only 8 cents a dozen at Sanborn's.

ALL styles tan shoes \$2.85 at Richardson's.

FRESH pineapples 20 cents each at Sanborn's.

New lean pork only 5 cents a pound at Sanborn's.

DON'T you know what Richardson's maroons are?

STRICTLY fresh eggs only 8 cents a dozen at Sanborn's.

T. P. BURNS is showing the best \$1 kid glove in the city.

\$2.85 buys a splendid shoe for spring at Richardson's.

FRESH strawberries in today, of fine quality. Sanborn & Co.

\$2.85 buys a pair of Richardson's maroon shoes for ladies.

NEGOTIATIONS are pending for the sale of the Franklin hotel.

A NEW sample line of corsets for half price at T. P. Burns.

WANTED—A housekeeper. Call at J. B. Green planing mill office.

ALL the choice large bananas you want 10c a dozen at Sanborn's.

ONE square piano for rent at \$1 per month. H. F. Nott, 111 Terrace St.

RADISHES, lettuce, beets and celery are especially nice today at Sanborn's.

WANTED—A competent girl at 52 Milwaukee avenue, by Mrs. J. B. Whiting.

ONE upright piano almost new, for rent. This is a bargain. H. F. Nott, 111 Terrace St.

LITTLE Midget sweet pickles are choicest for the table 25 cents a quart at Sanborn's.

ARCHIE REID & Co. had a big sale of hosiery today, they offer some exceptional bargains.

ARMOUR'S Star hams only 11 cents a pound, Armour's picnic hams 7 cents a pound. Sanborn.

RICHARDSON'S maroon shoes at \$2.85 to \$4 for ladies' are the proper foot wear this spring.

FEW more of those \$1.17 shoes for ladies left. Good sizes, great bargains. Richardson.

OUR immense line of colored dress goods is taking wonderfully well with the ladies. Bort, Bailey & Co.

ALL the elegance of style to be found in the spring hats is combined in the Stetson. Zeigler sells them.

SANBORN & Co. started their motor this morning and heretofore coffee will be ground as fast as electricity will do it.

MISS O'NEIL, of Archie Reid & Co's millinery department announces first showing of spring novelties today and Thursday.

BEFORE you buy that spring dress material see that nobby line of ours and of all things get the prices. Bort, Bailey & Co.

THAT private creamery butter of ours is giving excellent satisfaction. It's put up in one pound packages. Sanborn & Co.

GUARANTEED pure Vermont maple syrup only 90 cents a gallon and strictly pure Ohio maple sugar, 12 cents a pound. Sanborn.

THE Royal Purple Afternoon club will meet with Mrs. W. S. Potter, No. 9 Forest Park boulevard, Thursday afternoon. All Royal Neighbors are cordially invited.

SPRING suits are full of style this season. Zeigler has the best fabrics' makes in the country, on his tables, nobby pretty patterns and all grades to suit everybody.

PRIESTLEY'S black dress goods are the best quality and the finest color of any. Look for the name to make sure of obtaining the best. We sell these goods. Bort, Bailey & Co.

A VERY good reason for Stetson and Miller hats being superior to all others is the color; should you wear one of these hats for a year the color would not change in the least. Zeigler.

MISS BELLINGHAUSEN'S millinery opening takes place today, at her parlors, 159 West Milwaukee street. The latest spring styles in ladies hats are shown. Her store is open this evening.

OUR men's \$3 tan shoes are equal to any \$3.50 in the city; our \$3.50 to any \$4 shoe; our \$4 to any \$5; and our \$5 goods are certainly as nice as you ever saw. Come in and see our spring goods. Richardson.

No person will object to saving money even though the amount may be small, on some of the articles bought. We are selling dry goods of all kinds cheaper than other houses in the city. Bort, Bailey & Co.

ATTEND the grand millinery opening at Mrs. Woodstock's Friday and Saturday of this week, April 2 and 3. We carry the largest stock and nobbiest styles in the market and employ the best experienced trimmers in the city. We are not experimenting at the public's expense but years of experience, artistically executed work and fair dealing brings us to the front. We lead in style, the rest copy. Come one and all and see the beautiful hats and bonnets.

ON Thursday evening, April 1st, at Union Catholic League hall, a musical and literary entertainment, to which the public is invited, will be given. The programme will consist of music, both vocal and instrumental, recitations, etc. These entertainments in the past have been very successful, and the committee having this one in charge, promise that it will surpass those given before. An admission fee of ten cents will be charged.

Hens May Strike.

But until they do, Sanborn will sell strictly fresh eggs for 8 cents a dozen; all you want of them. If you are wise, you will put in a week's stock while they are cheap. Now is a good chance. Sanborn & Co.

GEN. COXEY HERE
ON BUSINESS TRIP

"COMMONWEAL COMMANDER"
VISITS JANESVILLE.

Was the Guest of Robert Lilburn, of Emerald Grove, and Looked Rather Queer Without His Mustache—Coat Pockets Bulged With Literature—May Stay In Wisconsin.

John S. Coxe, of Massillon, Ohio, the world renowned leader of "Coxey's army," arrived in the city this noon.

He was met at the train by Robert Lilburn, the well known Emerald Grove farmer, and was driven to the Grand hotel.

But few in the city were aware of the "General's" coming, and when he stepped from the train there were less than a dozen men there who recognized him as the leader of the commonweal hosts.

He is a man of about 5 feet 8 inches in height, smooth faced, wears glasses, and would weigh about 130 pounds.

Came From Chicago.

Mr. Lilburn, who is one of Rock county's leading live stock raisers, received a letter a week ago from Mr. Coxe, dated from his head office at Massillon, Ohio. The letter stated that if nothing unforeseen happened, the writer would arrive in Chicago on Tuesday, March 30, and would the next day proceed to Janesville where he wished to see Mr. Lilburn on "important business." Last evening Mr. Lilburn received a telegram from Chicago, stating that Coxe would arrive on the noon train.

General Coxe told a Gazette man that he is merely here to visit Mr. Lilburn and get an idea of how Wisconsin looked but Mr. Lilburn told an entirely different story.

Came to See Horses.

General Coxe's visit to this city was to look over the numerous horses and ponies on the Lilburn farms, with a view of making an extensive purchase. If Rock county weather and land suits him he may see fit to buy a farm and locate near this city.

"Do you intend to purchase Wisconsin horses for the purpose of making another march on the National Capitol," inquired the Gazette man.

"Well that question I am not in a position to answer," replied the general with a smile. "I cannot now state what my plans for the future will be. My visit is merely to make a short stay with Mr. Lilburn."

"Gen." Coxe had both pockets of his overcoat bulging out with literature that he freely distributed in the interest of "sound money" and "good roads," his two pet themes.

He was driven to Emerald Grove by Mr. Lilburn this afternoon and will probably return to Chicago tomorrow.

A DAY'S NEWS IN THE TOWN.

EIGHT cent eggs at Sanborn's.

New carpets at Bort, Bailey & Co's.

PILLSBURY flour at Sanborns only \$1.10 a sack.

THE sprinkling carts made their first trip today.

ALL the eggs you want at 8 cents a dozen at Sanborn's.

SANBORN & Co. have Masturtian and sweet pea seeds in bulk.

STUART B. HEDDLES shipped two cars of tobacco from Beloit yesterday.

O. N. VANKIRK is making improvements on his second ward dwelling.

PILLSBURY'S flour \$1.10 not \$1 as was stated last night at Sanborn's.

The proper hat for style is the Stetson. Zeigler shows the complete line.

LANDRETH garden and flower seeds give the most satisfaction. Sanborn sells them.

DON'T fail to look over the new carpet samples at Bort, Bailey & Co's, before you buy.

Forty new carpet patterns just in at Bort, Bailey & Co's. See their ad, page 8, for particulars.

If you want your garden to yield the most, plant with Landreth seeds. Sanborn sells them.

Miss Martha Shopbell entertained a number of friends last evening at her Milwaukee avenue home.

A. A. BLUNT underwent a surgical operation a few days ago. Dr. James Gibson handled the knife, and Dr. W. H. Judd assisted him.

Our complete spring line of tapestry Brussels, and all wool ingrain carpets, including the Lowell make, now on sale. Bort, Bailey & Co.

MEN who like Fedoras will find the Stetson this spring a very nobby, stylish hat. Zeigler sells them.

THE Street railway company will probably buy the smokestack formerly used by the Bower City Light & Power Company.

FOOTLOCK to spend a large amount of money on a made to order spring suit while Zeigler is showing such a superb line of clothes. From one-third to one-half can be saved on clothing and the satisfaction is guaranteed.

Hens May Strike.

But until they do, Sanborn will sell strictly fresh eggs for 8 cents a dozen; all you want of them. If you are wise, you will put in a week's stock while they are cheap. Now is a good chance. Sanborn & Co.

PEOPLE WHO COME AND GO.

LEE W. BORT was up from Beloit.

WALLACE CARRIER was in Edgerton.

E. H. BROOKS was in Chicago yesterday.

WILL and John McVicar are at Lake Koshkonong.

R. B. BATES and wife of Madison were in town.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY W. A. JACKSON was in Spring Valley.

J. M. THAYER is home from a business trip in the state.

CHARLES HORN returned to Lake Koshkonong this morning.

H. H. MCKINNEY and Attorney F. C. Burpee are at Lake Koshkonong.

JAMES TICE, the well known drayman, is dangerously ill at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley B. Smith have left for an extended pleasure trip in the south.

Mrs. CHARLES E. WATSON and sons left on the noon train for a visit in Milwaukee.

Miss Sarah Richardson has returned home, after a most pleasant visit in Washington, D. C.

FRANK REYNOLDS is home from a trip in the west in the interest of the Janesville Machine Company.

Mrs. JOSEPH OREIGHTON of White-water, spent yesterday as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Carpenter.

Miss Anna Bertles of Green Bay spent the day with local friends, being on her way to Rockford to resume her studies at the Rockford seminary.

MRS. A. RIDER IS VERY SICK.

Stroke of Paralysis, It Is Feared, May Prove Fatal.

Mrs. A. Rider is now now dangerously ill at her South Academy street home as the result of a stroke of paralysis. For some time past Mrs. Rider has complained of not feeling well but nothing serious was anticipated until last Saturday.

Both of her sides are affected and it is feared by her many friends that the attack may prove fatal.

FAMILY TRAVELED IN A CAR

Hoosiers Enroute For the West in a Side Door Pullman.

Four families together with their household goods and a liberal sprinkling of live stock arrived in the city this morning all snugly packed in one freight car. The party came from Indiana and were on their way to North Dakota where they expect to locate.

HINRICHS LEAVES TONIGHT.

St. Paul Agent Accepts the Madison Position Offered Him.

Paul M. Hinrichs, local agent for the St. Paul road, leaves this evening for Madison to assume control of the company's affairs in that city. Mr. Hinrichs' family will remain in this city for two months.

New Carpet Samples.

We have just received about forty samples of high grade velvet and Axminster carpets. We believe we can better serve our customers' interests by selling them high grade carpets from sample. They secure a selection from the choicest new patterns; three or four times as many as though we were obliged to buy the whole pieces. Another good feature is that we do not have to carry remnants and odd pieces over one season to another and by selling our carpets in this manner can make better prices by less than half the usual price. We should be pleased to have you look over these samples whether or not you wish to buy. Bort, Bailey & Co.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER Absolutely Pure.

Celebrated for its great leavening strength and healthfulness. Assures the food against all forms of adulteration common to the cheap brands.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., New York.

BOILERS.....

Copper Bottom No. 9..... 90c

All Copper No. 9..... \$2.00

12 quart Granite Pail..... 50c

Granite Kettle, 5 quart..... 35c

Granite ware of all descriptions at proportionate prices.

Bissell Carpet Sweeper, best made \$2.00

E. HALL, JANESVILLE

53 W. Milwaukee St.

STORAGE

Dry and safe, for Pianos, Furniture, Etc. In connection with Schwartz' Freight Line. Safes and Pianos—specialties. Quick service, reasonable prices. Leave orders at Smith's drug store. Residence 202 Locust street.

C. W. SCHWARTZ.

MRS. G. H. HOLLIDAY, PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON.

Special attention to diseases of women and children.

73 E. Milwaukee St. Telephone 246.

WAS A BUSY YEAR FOR THE WORKERS

ASSOCIATED CHARITIES SEASON CLOSURES.

During the Twelve Months Past, There Has Been More Distress Than Has Been Since 1887—Contributions Were Liberal—Many Women Supported Families.

The Associated Charities winter season ended today and will go on record as the busiest one during the past ten years.

Reports made by President W. G. Palmer and Secretary Mrs. J. L. Ford show that aside from answering the greatest number of appeals for help, the donations made of both clothing and money have been more plentiful during the present winter than ever before. This is especially true with reference to cash donations. From the Bort, Bailey & Co. sale the largest single donation was received, while James Harris presented the society with a larger sum than any individual.

Aside from these, large numbers of people made five and ten dollar contributions. This money was in no instance given out, but was used in supplying food and clothing.

The work carried on during the past season has been telling. The scarcity of work for the laboring man has been the cause of much suffering, and in supplying the wants of the numerous families, the best work was accomplished. Many women whose husbands were thrown out of work, were started up in the "laundry" business, and the association purchased clothes lines, tubs, soap and other necessary articles for them. In this way many a family managed to live through the winter.

Notice To Voters.

By request of numerous tax payers and citizens of the city of Janesville, I hereby announce myself as an independent candidate for the office of street commissioner; and if elected, I promise to fill the office to the best of my ability, as I have during the past two years.

J. H. WATSON

Shirt Waists For Spring.....

JUST RECEIVED PERCALE AND DIMITY.....

New patterns, late designs in large scrolls, stylish sleeves and detachable collars and cuffs. Prices 50c, 75c, 85c and \$1.00. The waists this season are certainly handsome, and as they form one of the principal adjuncts to woman's summer wardrobe, every lady is interested in the goods for the coming season.

I have also a very complete line of pretty shirt waists for the children at 25c, 35c, 50c

HELEN : SERVATIUS,

Exclusive Ladies' Furnisher, 21 W. Milwaukee Street.

New line of Shirt Waists just in.

Buy Your Cloth of a Pedlar and Pay Two Profits : : : :

The peddler must get his profit (no small one) on the cloth. Whoever makes the suit must be paid for his time and for the buttons, linings and making. The margin of profit must be larger than on a suit made by the merchant tailor who furnishes the cloth.

In a word—when we figure on a suit we put in the cloth fully 15 per cent. cheaper than any peddler can, and are also able to save you money on the making. With the customer it is simply a question of paying

Several Janesville men who have bought cloth from itinerant salesmen have found that the suits complete cost them much more than regular tailor-made suits. The only way they could save was to have their suits made in Chicago sweat shops, and then the fit was unsatisfactory. Order your spring suit (\$20 to \$30) where a responsible guarantee backs each garment.

J. L. FORD & SON

TAILORS AND FURNISHERS..

E. T. Fish Freight Line.

Leave orders at C. D. STEVEN'S Drug Store, or Residence Telephone 202, for hauling Pianos, Safes, Boilers, House Furniture, Etc. Promptness and Prices reasonable.

R. R. POWELL, DENTIST.

HOURS: 9 to 12 a. m. 1 to 5 p. m.

Over Mrs. Woodstock's millinery store, West Milwaukee Street.....

CARTRIDGE PHOTOGRAPHY.....

With the new cartridge system the modern photographer loads and unloads his camera in broad daylight—presses the button—and "we do the rest." It's the refinement of photographic luxury. The cartridge system is applied to our latest products.

The Pocket Kodak, The Bullet, The Bulls-Eye.

Kodaks, Kodets, Bullets, Bulls-Eye \$5.00 to \$1.00.00.

Everything in Photographic goods. Ask for our Kodak catalogue.

Smith's Pharmacy.

OUR '97 BICYCLES

"Victors,"

"Sterlings,"

CHILDREN'S COLUMN.

THE VICEROY'S PRESENT.

Li Hung Chang Sends a Scent Bag and a Nice Letter to a Brooklyn Girl.

An American schoolgirl, Josephine Amelia Claudius, of Brooklyn, is the proud possessor of a token of friendship from Li Hung Chang. It is a scent bag, embroidered with the skill and taste characteristic of such work in the Flowery Kingdom. The bag is circular in shape, with pendent ribbons and a loop with which to attach it to a girdle. All the colors of the rainbow are artistically blended in the figures that adorn the bag. This sentiment is on the face, "All things as wished."

The present arrived here some weeks ago and has been viewed by many friends of little Miss Claudius. She is a prime favorite among them and at the Girls' High school.

When on his visit to this country last year Li Hung Chang was driven through Brooklyn. His watchful and inquiring eyes followed with interest the figure of a charming little bicyclist who had wheeled out of Prospect park and rode abreast with his carriage. She continued steadily and unconcernedly in that position until the vehicle reached the Union League club house, where he was the guest of honor at a reception given by the citizens of Brooklyn.

She appeared again when the visitor was being driven to the Broadway ferry and was again observed by him.

At the end of Broadway he called the attention of his faithful interpreter, Lo Feng Luh, to the little girl in the orange costume and asked that she be called to the carriage. After complimenting her on her appearance and riding Li Hung Chang invited her to call on him at the Waldorf. She responded to his invitation, but he was resting at the time she called, and she did not see him. She



wrote a letter to him, explaining this, and received with his reply the beautiful present.

Viceroy Li was much pleased with his young correspondent and replied as follows:

PEKING, Nov. 23, 1896.
DEAR MISS JOSEPHINE—I received your interesting letter of Oct. 3 and Nov. 20. It was 47 days on its way here, which shows how far we are separated now. I am glad to receive such a good account of you and find that you are diligent at your studies and excel in your pastimes. I admired your skill and the bicycle and wanted to know more about you. Therefore I was very sorry to have missed seeing you at the Waldorf hotel, and now I am still more sorry because you took the trouble to go and I disappointed you. You know the old saying, "Early to bed and early to rise." Well, I have always acted upon that and am up at 6 o'clock every morning. I think this regular habit has helped to make me healthy, though not very wealthy or wise, but I am content with one of those three blessings.

If I had seen you at the hotel, I should certainly have given you a souvenir, and perhaps you would have given me some little keepsake. But I will now make good my neglect. When I got back to China, I came here to Peking and saw my emperor and told him of all I had seen. Then I called on the empress dowager, who has always been very kind to me. Her majesty is 62 years old and is active and energetic. She was much interested in the account of my travels and asked me many questions. Then her majesty gave me some presents, and among them was a little silk scent bag to hang on my belt. I now send you this pretty little bag and hope it will please you. If you hold it up before your eyes, you will see four Chinese words worked in red silk. Read them from right to left, "Wan Shih Yu E." They mean, "All things as wished"—that is, may you have everything you want. And I hope you will. But of course it is understood more or less that you must only want what you can get—what you may reasonably expect. This you must read between the lines. It would not do, for example, for you to want to vote at present or to want a silver dollar instead of a gold one, but time may change all that. I shall give my bicycle to some little boy who can learn to ride it. I should like to have you give a name for it.

You promise to write again. I shall be pleased to hear more about you and your family. If your parents are living, I hope you are dutiful to them. Here in China children are carefully taught to love and obey their parents. I think we are more particular about that in China than western people are, and it has helped much to make China the oldest of nations. I have dictated this letter to my secretary, who wrote down my words in English. Now I will take my Chinese pen, which is a thin bamboo stick with a soft brush at the end of it, like a camel's hair pencil, and write my name for you fine and large with my own hand. Wishing you much happiness, your friend and well-wisher. LI HUNG CHANG.

Shadow Pictures.

For home entertainments nothing is so simple in preparation and so amusing in results as the shadow pictures, which may begin as soon as the lamps are lit. Put up a cord across one end of the room or across a wide doorway. Pin a sheet to the line so it will hang smoothly and touch the floor. Have a curtain or screen before the sheet. Extinguish the lights in the audience room and have strong lights a few feet back of the sheet. Now disguise the outlines of the head of some person by means of a veil, a cap or otherwise, place him so that his profile will be cast accurately upon the sheet. Ring the bell, draw the curtain and let the audience guess whose profile it is.

During the shadow profile entertainment dress quaintly some of the small children. Put a sweep's cap on one, a butcher's or baker's cap on another; put on another a poke bonnet and give her an umbrella; put upon another a wig and give him a cane and put ruffles on his wrists. Let these march in procession back of the sheet. The effect may be made pretty or comical, according to the dress, etc.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Her Description.

A little girl had seen a balloon ascension and was telling her playmates. "The man was an airy knot," she said, "and went up in a saloon."—Exchange.

A Fling at Sorosis.

Sorosis had a gala day in New York on a recent Monday, when the new president, Mrs. Hall, was installed. All this was formal business, but an unconventional break that occurred created a laughing quarter of an hour.

As the retiring president, Mrs. Helmut, was thanking the club for their kindly expressions of esteem a letter was handed her, marked important and to be read to the society. She opened it and found it to be a poem from her husband, Dr. Helmut, to Sorosis. It ran as follows:

Who stole my wife by day and night
And sent her home in sorry plight,
A most dilapidated sight?
Sorosis!

Who bade me all alone to stay
And eat my luncheon from a tray
In the saloon across the way?
Sorosis!

Who taught my pious lips to swear
When I put on my underwear
And found a button was not there?
Sorosis!

Your president bought gowns so fine
In which on "social days" to shine
For your enchantment, not for mine,
Sorosis!

But now she's left the honored chair
Perhaps I shall the better fare.
What comes to you I do not care,
Sorosis!

No more the victim I shall be.
My wife at last returns to me.
For once I've got you "up a tree,"
Sorosis!

Three years have passed, and, thank the Lord,
Another term you can't afford.
Behold my triumph doubly scored,
Sorosis!

Glass Garments.

Glass seems to be the coming fabric for dresses, and even undergarments. In Venice an enterprising manufacturer is turning out a textile from the threads of spun glass of which dresses, bonnets and curtains are made. The woman who adopts this novel fabric will be quite independent of the cleaner and the laundress, as the garments of this material need only be cleaned with soap and water. They are practically indestructible, neither fade nor crush, and can be had in lovely colorings and designs.

There is a peculiar sort of stone found in the depths of Siberia, which, by a patented process, is drawn into filaments and woven. This peculiar textile is thrown into the fire in order to cleanse it and possesses the indestructible properties of asbestos.

Both of these new materials take the most brilliant and delicate dyes and have a luster as exquisite as the finest silk.

She Studied Successfully.

Miss Mary E. Corbett, sister of Senator Joseph J. Corbett, and one young man, son of ex-Representative Rosnosky, were the only ones who passed out of the 30 members of the class of the Boston University Law school just examined for the Massachusetts bar. Miss Corbett began her studies in 1887 in her brother's office and has continued them pretty steadily ever since. She has been a teacher in the Frothingham school in Charlestown since 1881. She studied in Senator Corbett's office after school every evening and for the last year has applied herself for an hour or two before school in the morning. She will continue her school work for the present.—Boston Letter.

Art Tickings.

Art tickings is the name, and they deserve it, for the really beautiful fabrics into which the common bed ticking has developed. The original material had the two qualities of cheapness and durability to recommend it. These have been retained, and to them have been added beauty and variety of pattern and thoroughly artistic finish. The demand for college colors in upholstery fabrics is becoming more and more recognized, and it is possible to get these tickings in the colors of several of the best known eastern colleges. They come, too, in beautiful chintz and cretonne effects and in Persian and other oriental designs.—New York Correspondence.

Belts and Buckles.

The heavy harness belt to wear with shire waists has again made its appearance, but fortunately is a trifle modified, as a finer grade of leather with a handsome gold buckle is worn in preference to last year's style, which was so emphatically a piece of harness. Russian enamel belts, made in separate pieces and of most artistic color, look well with all shirt waists. Both dark and light enamel are to be had, and the different designs are manifold. These belts are not all expensive by any means and are always smart looking, both on silk and crash waists.—Harper's Bazar

Woman Slavery.

Woman slavery continues in San Francisco, and the importation of Chinese girls is increasing. The Pacific Ensign says:

There is no disputing the fact that they are slaves of the most abject order, and, nearly all being between 18 and 22 years of age, their commercial value is from \$1,000 to \$1,500 each. Of course the laws of the land prohibit unrestricted Chinese immigration, but all these undesirable females claim the right to land on the ground that they are the wives of merchants in this city, or that they are native daughters.

"Mother" Johns.

"Mother" Johns, Mrs. Laura M. Johns' mother-in-law, is in her eighty-sixth year. She spent last summer in Colorado with a daughter on a ranch 14 miles from their voting place. She was duly registered—all voters in Colorado must register—and would have voted but for a failure in health which prevented her, to her great disappointment and that of her family. She took much interest in politics and read much during the summer. She is now at her son's home in Salina, Kan., and has the opportunity to cast a full ballot for all municipal officers.

PERHAPS THIS MAY HELP YOU

"My food does me no good," you say. Then it does you harm. There is no halting place between these extremes. Digested food alone gives health and strength. Undigested food sours, ferments, in the stomach and becomes a poison to the whole body. It causes headache, heart palpitation, liver and kidney trouble, distress after eating, pains in the chest and sides, and the tired, languid, heavy feeling we hear so much about. When the digestion goes wrong every function of the body goes wrong. Yes, and the mind, too. Men fail in business and die poor for no other reason than this—they are weakened, dulled and stupefied by dyspepsia. The lives of a host of women are blighted in the same way. You may be one of this miserable multitude. The writer of these lines was one of your number a short time ago. I tried dozens of things to get cured; just as you have done, no doubt. The thing which at last succeeded with me may succeed with you. It is a discovery of those wise and good people—the Shakers, of Mt. Lebanon, N. Y.—called the Shaker Digestive Cordial. It is not a purgative, which at best gives only transient relief. It is in itself a digested food and also a corrector of the digestive function. You can eat and digest your food while taking this cordial. It helps you at once and soon makes the stomach vigorous and healthy. It is not like any other so-called dyspepsia cures. It is prepared by the Shakers principally from herbs cultivated by them. They do not ask us to send a dollar for a bottle while we are in the dark as to its virtues. They take that risk themselves. Almost any druggist will sell you a trial bottle for ten cents, so that you can see whether it is what they say—and adapted to your case. And isn't the mere chance of a cure worth that much?

NOTICE TO CREDITORS, STATE OF WISCONSIN, County Court for Rock County, in Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at the regular term of the county court to be held in and for said county, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the first Tuesday of October, A. D. 1897, being October 5th, 1897, at 9 o'clock A. M., the following matters will be heard, considered and adjudged:

All claims against John A. Folker, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased.

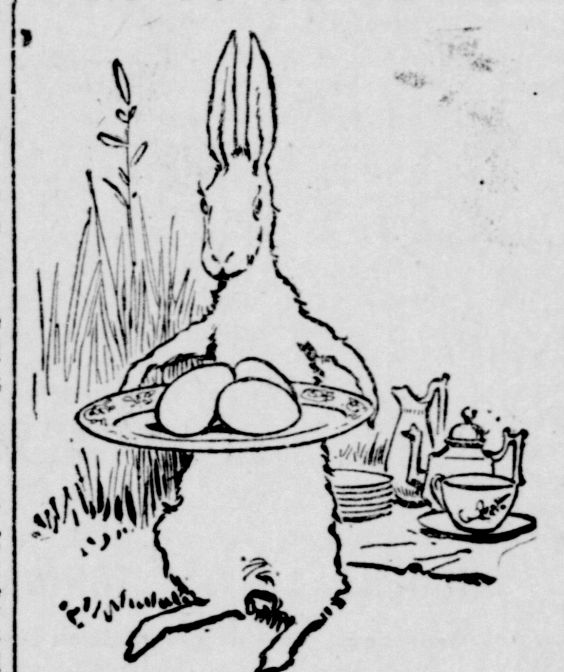
All such claims must be presented for allowance to said court, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on or before the 23rd day of September, A. D. 1897, or be barred.

Dated March 23, 1897.

By the Court, J. W. SALE, County Judge.

wedMar24d4w

READY TO SERVE



you are we with the most complete and handsomest line of chinaware, crockery, fine art bric-a-brac and everything such a store as ours, conducted on modern principles, should have for customers. Maybe you think high prices rule? Do you think so with such figures as these? 100 piece Dinner Sets \$5. Lots of handsome table pieces at 10c; big value.

WHEELOCK'S.

This is Your Opportunity. On receipt of ten cents, cash on stamps, a generous sample will be mailed of the most popular Catarrh and Hay Fever Cure (Ely's Cream Balm), sufficient to demonstrate the great merits of the remedy.

ELY BROTHERS, 56 Warren St., New York City. Rev. John Reid, Jr., of Great Falls, Mont. recommended Ely's Cream Balm to me. I can emphasize his statement, "It is a positive cure for catarrh if used as directed."—Rev. Francis W. Poole, Pastor Central Pres. Church, Helena, Mont.

Ely's Cream Balm is the acknowledged cure for catarrh and contains no mercury nor any injurious drug. Price 50 cents.

PATENTS

Caveats, and Trade-Marks obtained and all Patent business conducted for MODERATE FEES. OUR OFFICE IS OPPOSITE U. S. PATENT OFFICE and we can secure patent in less time than those remote from Washington. Send model, drawing or photo., with description. We advise, if patentable or not, free of charge. Our fee not due till patent is secured. PATENT, "How to Obtain Patents," with cost of same in the U. S. and foreign countries sent free. Address, C. A. SNOW & CO., OPP. PATENT OFFICE, WASHINGTON, D. C.

C. A. SNOW & CO.

OPP. PATENT OFFICE, WASHINGTON, D. C.

Room 10 Jackson block.

Warned by Smell of Smoke...

The many fires of late have made people think about their insurance—the companies in which it is written, and the amount covered. The good business man does not forget that his property may go next. He does not expose himself to a crippling loss, Loans placed on real estate HAYNER & BEERS.

10,000 Pair New Shoes For Spring

The number we will show this season. They are arriving every day; over 5,000 pair already in. A rarer combination of style, beauty and quality of stock never before seen in the city.

Ladies' Tan and Black Shoes and Oxfords. Men's Tan and Black Shoes. Misses' Tan and Black Shoes and Oxfords. Children's Shoes.

Every shade of tan shoe you ever heard of from the light brown to the late nobby bottle green.

\$4.00

will buy a wonderfully pretty shoe for men this year. All the style and stock you could wish for. Our ladies' shoes are simply dreams; no question about it. The handsomest we ever carried or that the town ever saw. We are going to keep up our reputation as the leaders in high class footwear. People are coming to know that perfect reliance can be placed in all our assertions.

We want every one to feel at liberty to call and examine the spring shoes whether they intend to buy or not. We guarantee to save you money on shoes.

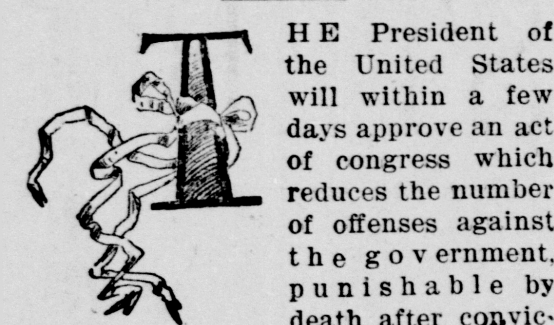
THE A. RICHARDSON SHOE CO.

C. O. D. Shoe Dealers.

THE OLD ROMAN LAWS.

OUR STATUTES NOW FREE FROM BARBARIC MEASURES.

Nearly All the Capital Offenses Introduced into Our Laws from Foreign Codes Have Been Eliminated—Only 5 Crimes Punishable by Death Penalty.



THE President of the United States will within a few days approve an act of congress which reduces the number of offenses against the government, punishable by death after conviction, from sixty to five. Many of the statutes of the United States, as carried on the books for nearly a century, were copied from the laws of the old Roman empire. Time was in Rome when the offenses not punishable by death were fewer than those that were. In countries dominated by the military life is yet held cheap, and offenses that civilization now classes as misdemeanors, or mere disturbances of the public or per chance individual, peace, are by law made capital.

The penalties for crime that it is possible for a judge in a United States court to inflict have for many years been disproportioned to the maximum power of the state courts. For instance: A civilian or a member of the United States army who strikes or physically assaults an officer of the United States may be hanged, provided that the officer is in commission and in uniform. A man who assaults the governor of a great state is guilty of an offense measured only by the physical damage caused, and can be fined or imprisoned, for no more nor longer, all things considered, than if the object of his violence were plain John Smith of Brown street.

Congressman Newton Curtis of Ogdensburg, over four years ago, undertook to bring the Federal criminal code up to the times, and the final passage of his house bill by the senate recently signified a victory that was only gained by persistence. Under the act as reconstructed there will be but five capital offenses known to the federal law. These are murder on a territory, fort, magazine, shop or reservation wherein the United States has technical jurisdiction; rape on the same; treason, piracy and treasonable betrayal of trust in the army or navy. Among the capital offenses on the statute books, most of which, it should be said, are dead letters, and which are rejected by the courts are:

Being accessory before the fact to piracy.

Being accessory after the fact to an act of piracy.

Aiding or abetting by advice or counsel or command an act of robbery, murder or other piracy.

Knowingly concealing the fruits of a piracy, or assisting in the escape from arrest of the perpetrator of an act of piracy, robbery or murder.

Having in possession the fruits of piracy.

Treason, in levying war or adhering to the enemies of the government. Inciting to or engaging in rebellion against the government.

Aiding, abetting, etc., to commit murder or piracy on the high seas by the owner.

Destruction of a vessel on the high seas by other than the owner.

The corrupt casting away of a vessel on the high seas by the owner.

Laying violent hands by seamen upon the commander of a vessel to prevent his defense of the vessel.

Robbery on the high seas.

Robbery on shore by the crew of a pirate.

Murder, robbery or hostile act under cover of a foreign commission.

Forcibly confining a negro on a vessel with intent of making him a slave.

Landing from a vessel and seizing a negro with attempt to enslave him.

Malicious burning of a fort or a dock yard.

Burning a vessel of war.

Rescue by force of persons found guilty of capital crimes against the United States.

Disobeying or striking a superior officer in the army or navy.

Sleeping on posts of sentry.

Refusal or failure to resist the enemy in the army or navy.

Willfully causing a false alarm of military attack.

Mutinous conduct in presence of the enemy.

Forcibly compelling an officer to surrender.

Disclosing the watchword.

Relieving the enemy with money, valuables or supplies.

Desertion from army or navy in time of war.

Aiding others to desert in time of war.

Correspondence with the enemy.

An equal number of offenses against the discipline of the navy are in the books. These are all struck out by the Curtis bill. In time of war martial law asserts itself, and the military is a law unto itself.

Tossed on the Foaming Billows

You may never have been, but if you cross the Atlantic, no matter how smooth the watery expanse, with all sea sickness you are well, a lucky voyager, that is all. Old tars who have spent their lives on the ocean waves, who were almost born, so to speak, with their "sea legs on," suffer now and then from sea sickness in very tempestuous weather. Sea captains, tourists, commercial travelers and yachtsmen say that there is no other safeguard against nausea than Hallett's Stomach Bitters, and it has been equally reliable as a preventive for invalids who travel by sea and rail, and who sometimes suffer as much in those conveyances as ocean travelers do in steamships. Hallett's Stomach Bitters cures all stomachic and disorders of the stomach caused by oppressive climatic influences or unwholesome or unaccustomed food or water, always with the Bitters speedily. This popular medicine also remedies rheumatism, kidney and nervous disorders, and the infirmities incident to increasing years.

FOR LITTLE FOLKS.

Snow Fun In Japan.

The summers in Japan are as warm as our summers, but although the winters are milder there are occasional snow and ice. So little Japanese boys and girls have fun with snowballs and snow men, just as you children do here. They make their snow men with charcoal balls for eyes and a charcoal



streak for a month. The shoes which they usually wear out of doors are very good for a snowy day, for they are of wood and are raised upon little stilts of wood, and so make the boy appear about three inches taller than he really is and prevent his feet from sinking into the snow. The shoe has no laces or buttons, but is kept upon the foot by a leather thong, which passes between the first and second toe.—From "Child Life In Japan."

Queen Victoria as a Child.

She was once paying a visit to a nobleman, and, in walking around the grounds, ran on in advance of the royal party. One of the gardeners told the little princess that the path she was walking on was very "slape."

"Slape, slape?" said she. "And, pray, what is 'slape'?"

The man explained that "slape" meant slippery.

But, not heeding the warning, the little girl went along the path and fell down. Seeing what had happened, the nobleman said to her:

"Now your royal highness has an explanation of the term 'slape.'"

"Yes, my lord," she replied, "I think I have. I shall never forget the word 'slape.'"

On another occasion Princess Victoria had been advised not to play with a dog which had a bad temper. But she did play with it all the same, and the animal made a snap at her hand. The person who had warned her was in a great fright and ran up, asking if she had been bitten, but the princess replied:

"Oh, thank you! You're right, and I am wrong, but he didn't bite me. He only warned me. I shall be careful in future."—Sunday Afternoon.

What You Don't Know.

A game that arouses merriment and shows us how little we know, after all, is to blindfold all the members of the party and pass first one and then another object to him. Let all the boys and girls write down the name of what they think the object is. For example, allow each child to pass a forefinger across a half raw potato, a book, a glove, some wet sand, anything and everything that can be found for the occasion. Of course the children must not be allowed to handle the object all over, or else they might tell by the shape. But you will be surprised to find how many things there are that you do not know by touch, although you thought you did. Eyes help us so much more than we have any idea of. In schools where all the children are blind they learn to use their fingers and ears in a truly wonderful fashion. They learn to play on all kinds of musical instruments, and when any one strikes notes for them upon the piano they can tell just what they are. Perhaps you take piano lessons. Can you tell the different notes with your eyes blindfolded? Ah, I thought not!—"Aunt Dinah" in *Jennett Miller Monthly*.

The Boy and the Gun.

The frequent newspaper accounts of accidental shooting are usually accompanied by the plea that the perpetrator did not know the gun was loaded. One efficient precaution, which may serve as an example, was early taught to ex-President Rutherford B. Hayes.

He had been promised a gun on his fourteenth birthday on the condition that he should never point it, loaded or unloaded, at any person. The long expected day arrived. A beautiful little rifle was placed in his hands, and, beside himself with joy, the boy took instant aim at the giver, exclaiming:

"Look out, grandma; I'll shoot you!"

The gift was immediately recalled for six months, by which time the bitter but important lesson was mastered.—*Youth's Companion*.

Cow Prophets.

We don't have many earthquakes in this country, but if we did no doubt the cows and sheep and horses would warn us of their coming, just as they do in Europe and other parts of the world where earthquakes are common. Seems funny that a cow should know about an earthquake before its master, doesn't it? But such is really the case. A clever French scientist named Cancani has looked into the matter carefully, and he says that it is so. He thinks the animals feel the very slight tremors of the earth that precede the great shock, and that they at once begin to be uneasy and frightened, whereas a man, who is paying attention to other things, never observes anything until he feels the heavy shock.—*Exchange*.

His Age.

A queer little boy who had been to school and was up to all sorts of tricks. Discovered that he, when upside down, would pass for the figure 6.

So when asked his age by a good old dame. The comical youngster said, "I'm 9 when I stand on my feet like this, But 6 when I stand on my head."

—Boston Post.

Dangers of the Grip.

The greatest danger from La Grippe is of its resulting in pneumonia. If reasonable care is used, however, and Chamberlain's Cough Remedy taken, all danger will be avoided. Among the tens of thousands who have used this remedy for La Grippe, we have to learn of a single case having resulted in pneumonia, which shows conclusively that this remedy is a certain preventive of that dread disease. It will effect a permanent cure in less time than any other treatment. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale at C. D. Stevens' Pharmacy, Corner Main and Milwaukee streets.

From Cripple Creek.

After the big fire in Cripple Creek, I took a severe cold and tried many remedies without help, the cold only becoming more settled. After using three small bottles of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, both the cough and cold left me, and in this high altitude it takes a meritorious cough remedy to do any good.—G. B. Henderson, editor Daily Advertiser. For sale at C. D. Stevens' Pharmacy, Corner Main and Milwaukee streets.

Rheumatism Quickly Cured.

After having been confined to the house for eleven days and paying out \$25 in doctor bills without benefit, Mr. Frank Dolson of Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., was cured by one bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm costing 25 cents and has not since been troubled with that complaint. For sale at C. D. Stevens' Pharmacy, Corner Main and Milwaukee streets.

FORECLOSURE SALE—THE STATE OF WISCONSIN, CIRCUIT COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY. Rebecca Ward, plaintiff, vs. The Spring Brook Improvement Company, George L. Carington, Sarah H. Carington, George J. Hitchcock and James J. Hall, defendants.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue and in pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and sale rendered in the above entitled action at a regular term of the circuit court for Rock county, Wisconsin, on the 1st day of February, A. D. 1896, in favor of the above named plaintiff, and against the above named defendants, I shall offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the postoffice in the city of Janesville, Rock county, Wisconsin, on the 23rd day of March, A. D. 1897, at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day, the following described lands and premises in and by said judgment of foreclosure directed to be sold, situated in the city of Janesville, county of Rock and state of Wisconsin, and described as follows, to-wit:

Lots numbered one (1), two (2), three (3), eight (8), ten (10), twelve (12), four (4), one hundred twenty-seven (127), two hundred twenty-five (225), two hundred ninety-two (292), all being in Spring Brook addition to Janesville, according to the duly recorded plat thereof, all of said lots being in the City of Janesville, County of Rock and state of Wisconsin, together with the privileges and appurtenances to the same belonging, or so much thereof as will be necessary to pay said judgment and costs and costs of sale.

Dated, Feb. 2, 1897.
THEO. L. ACHESON,
Sheriff of Rock Co., Wis.
SUTHERLAND & NOLAN,
Plaintiff's Attorneys,
P. O. Address, Janesville, Rock Co., Wis.

The above sale is adjourned to the 21st day of April, 1897, at 9 o'clock a. m., at same place.
THEO. L. ACHESON,
Sheriff of Rock Co., Wis.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS, STATE OF WISCONSIN, County Court for Rock County In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at the regular term of the county court to be held in and for said county, at the court house in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the first Tuesday of October, A. D. 1897, being October 6th, 1897, at 9 o'clock a. m., the following matters will be heard, considered and adjusted: All claims against Elizabeth Wilson, late of the city of Janesville, in said county deceased. All such claims must be presented for allowance to said court, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on or before the 16th day of Sept., A. D. 1897, or be barred.—Dated March 16, 1897.

By the Court,
J. W. SALE, County Judge.
Angie J. King, attorney,
wecmar17d4w

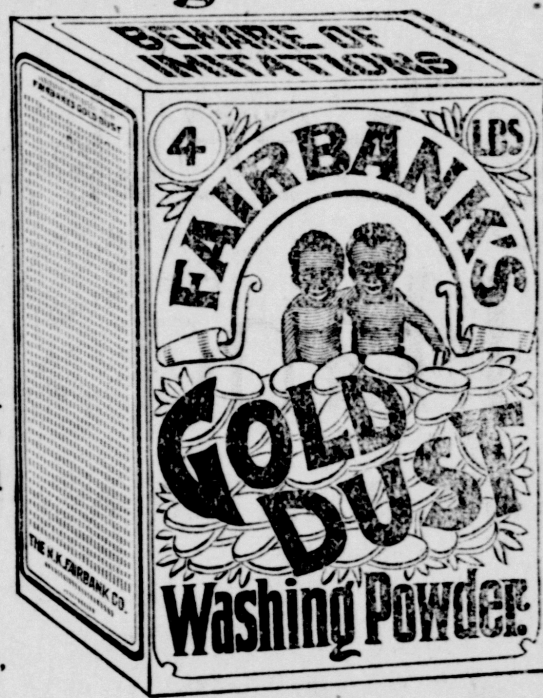
This is the Package—

remember it. It contains

GOLD DUST
Washing Powder

that cleans everything quickly, cheaply and perfectly.

For economy buy 4lb. package.
THE N. K. FAIRBANK COMPANY,
Chicago, St. Louis, New York,
Boston, Philadelphia.



ALL THE NAME IMPLIES

~ PEERLESS ~



If you are looking for a good Typewriter examine the **PEERLESS** before purchasing.

BADGER TYPEWRITER & STATIONERY CO.,
414 Broadway, Milwaukee, Wis., State Agent.

I. H. Carpenter, Local Agent, Janesville, Wis.



DR. MOTT'S PENNYROYAL PILLS.

Ask for DR. MOTT'S PENNYROYAL PILLS and take no other. Send for circular. Price \$1.00 per box, 6 boxes for \$5.00.
DR. MOTT'S CHEMICAL CO., - Cleveland, Ohio.

For sale by Harry E. Ranous & Co., Janesville.

Election Notice.

Office of County Clerk,
March 27, 1897.

To the Electors of Rock County:

Notice is hereby given that a judicial and municipal election is to be held in the several towns, wards and election precincts in the county of Rock on the sixth day of April 1896,

at which the officers named below are to be chosen. The names of the candidates for each office to be voted for, whose nominations have been certified to this office are given under the title

of the office and under the appropriate party or other designation each in its proper column and the questions submitted to a vote are stated below.

INFORMATION TO VOTERS.

The following instructions are given for the information and guidance of voters: A voter upon entering the polling place, and giving his name and residence, will receive a ballot from the ballot clerk, which must have endorsed thereon the name or initials of both ballot clerks, and no other can be used. Upon receiving his ballot, voter must retire, alone, to a booth or compartment, and prepare the same for voting. A ballot clerk may inform the voter as to the proper manner of marking a ballot, but he must not advise or indicate in any manner whom to vote for. The voter must make a cross X after the name of each person for a certain office, whose name is not on the ballot, he

must write his name in the blank space under the printed name of the candidate for the office. The ballot should not be marked in any other manner. If the ballot be spoiled, it must be returned to the ballot clerk, who must issue another in its stead, but not more than three in all to any one voter. Five minutes time is allowed in booth to mark ballot. Unofficial ballots or memorandum to assist the voter in marking his ballot, can be taken into the booth and may be used to copy from. The ballot must not be shown so that any person can see how it has been marked by the voter. After it is marked it should be folded so that the inside cannot be seen, but so that the

printed endorsements and signatures of the ballot clerks on outside can be seen. Then the voter should pass out of the booth, give his name to the inspector in charge of the ballot box, hand him his ballot to be placed in the box and pass out of the voting place. A voter who declares to the presiding officer that he is unable to read, or that by reason of physical disability he is unable to mark his official ballot, can have assistance of one or to election officers in marking same, to be chosen by the voter. The presiding officer may administer an oath, in his discretion, as to such person's disability. The party designations and candidates for the different offices are as follows:

Official Ballot.

Mark a cross (X) opposite the name of the person you wish to vote for or write his name in the blank space under the name erased.

INDIVIDUAL NOMINATIONS.		
For Justice of the Supreme Court, 1897.	ROUJET D. MARSHALL	A Non-Partisan Judiciary
For County Judge.	JOHN W. SALE	A Non-Partisan Judiciary
For Amendment to Section 7 of Article 7 of the Constitution of Wisconsin.		
Against Amendment to Section 7 of Article 7 of the Constitution of Wisconsin.		

If you wish to vote for the Amendment make a cross (X) in the space opposite the upper line. If against it, opposite the lower line.

W. J. McINTYRE, County Clerk.

Hosiery for Wednesday.

More Popularity for the stocking store—'tis economy to buy your season's supply at this sale. Your neighbors do; why not you? If you have been buying hosiery elsewhere, try our department and see how much better values you get.

5 cents. Children's ribbed fast black hose, sizes 7, 7½, 8 and 8½.

5 cents. Ladies' fast black bundle hosiery—seamed foot.

5 cents. Men's blue or brown heavy mixed socks, seamless, ribbed top.

10 cents. Men's extra heavy weight fast tan or fast black half hose, sizes 9½ to 11½.

10 cents. The "Albert" stainless black or tan color ladies' seamless hosiery, such as some stores call great values at 19c.

10 cents. Misses' and Children's "Diamond" fast black, fine ribbed stockings, high spliced heel, no seam in foot; sizes 6 to 9½.

15 cents. Men's "Royal" stainless black and tan half hose, double sole high spliced heel, sizes 10 to 11½; 25c value.

15 cents. Ladies' "Royal" stainless black, double heel and toe, imported, regular made, fine gauge, the usual 25c value; sizes 8 to 10.

10 cents. Boys' "Ipswich" heavy bicycle hose, the kind that will stand the racket that boys give them; sizes 7 to 10.

10 cents. Misses' and children's fine ribbed "Hermsdorf" black, double knee and spliced heel and toe, sizes 5 to 8½; also same in new tan shades and red.

10 cents. Our brand "Archie Reid & Co.'s" special guaranteed absolutely fast. Ladies' hosiery, super 40 gauge, high spliced heel, double sole, fine fashioned, a popular seller on account of its great elasticity; sizes 8 to 10.

Sample Quite an extensive line of sample hosiery will be on sale for Wednesday at the popular prices which have made sample lines the feature of this store.

Oxblood hosiery to match this season's shoe are also in the stock.

A Hat Was pretty and Never Made stylish in a day or in half a day. It only takes a few minutes maybe to place the trimming, but it took years to know how to place it to the best effect. The airy effect of flowers, the graceful harmony of the colors and the prettily knotted bows, is the result of long practice. We make pretty hats—we make stylish hats—we make hats which increase the beauty of the wearer.

Wednesday Miss O'Neil and Thursday announces first showings for spring of '97. You are invited.

ARCHIE REID & CO.

Subscribe For The Gazette.

3 and 5 W. Milwaukee St.
On the Bridge.

BORT, BAILEY & CO.

3 and 5 W. Milwaukee St.
On the Bridge.

HIGH GRADE VELVET AND AXMINSTER CARPETS.

We have just received about forty samples of

**Savonnerie Velvet,
Extra Wilton Velvet and
Axminster Carpets,**

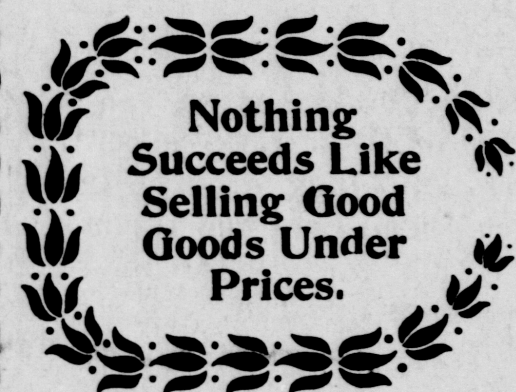
with borders to match of the very choicest patterns

of the new spring styles. We believe we can better serve our customers' interest by selling them high grade carpets from samples, they thereby securing a selection from the choicest new patterns, and the variety three or four times as large as we could show were we obliged to buy the whole pieces. Then again we do away with the remnants and odd pieces of border and do not have to carry from season to season carpets that are passe in style, that have to be sold at a great sacrifice. For the above reasons we can afford and will sell these high grade carpets for less than one-half the profit that we would be obliged to ask did we carry the pieces in stock.

Com ein and let us show you these beautiful carpets. We are sure we can please you both in pattern and price.

Our complete spring line of TAPESTRY BRUSSELS and ALL WOOL INGRAIN CARPETS, including the Lowell make now on sale.

BORT, BAILEY & CO.



**Spring Seed Planting
Is at Hand**



Every person who has a garden or flower bed will certainly be interested in the right kind of seeds to use this spring. We have the exclusive agency for

Landreth & Son's Seeds.

the oldest seed firm in the country. The choicest stock to be found. Seeds that always grow and give the best satisfaction. Ladies who buy flower seeds can find none better than Landreth's. Pansies, Candytuft, for bed borders; Morning Glories, Moon Flowers, Carnation Pinks, all the varieties of Sweet Peas, such as Emily Henderson, Blanche Perry, Eckfong's Hybrids, all colors mixed; Dwarf and climbing Nasturtiums; every kind of flower seed you can think of. We mention a few of the many

Garden Seeds

All varieties Radishes, Cabbage, Beets, Onions, Lettuce, Celery, Cauliflower, Spinach, Carrots, Cucumbers, Turnips, Tomatoes, Watermelons, Sage, Parsnips, Squash, Pumpkins. Complete list of Peas, all varieties. Our own mixture of Lawn Grass Seed is superior to others, will grow better, will make better sod. We know it from experience. Only 20c a pound. We have Kentucky Blue Grass, Orchard Grass, Red Top, Parnial Rye Grass. White Clover and Timothy Grass Seeds, all of them good.

We could fill an entire page with seed names, but haven't time or space. Remember Landreth will give you the best satisfaction of any.

C. A. SANBORN & CO.